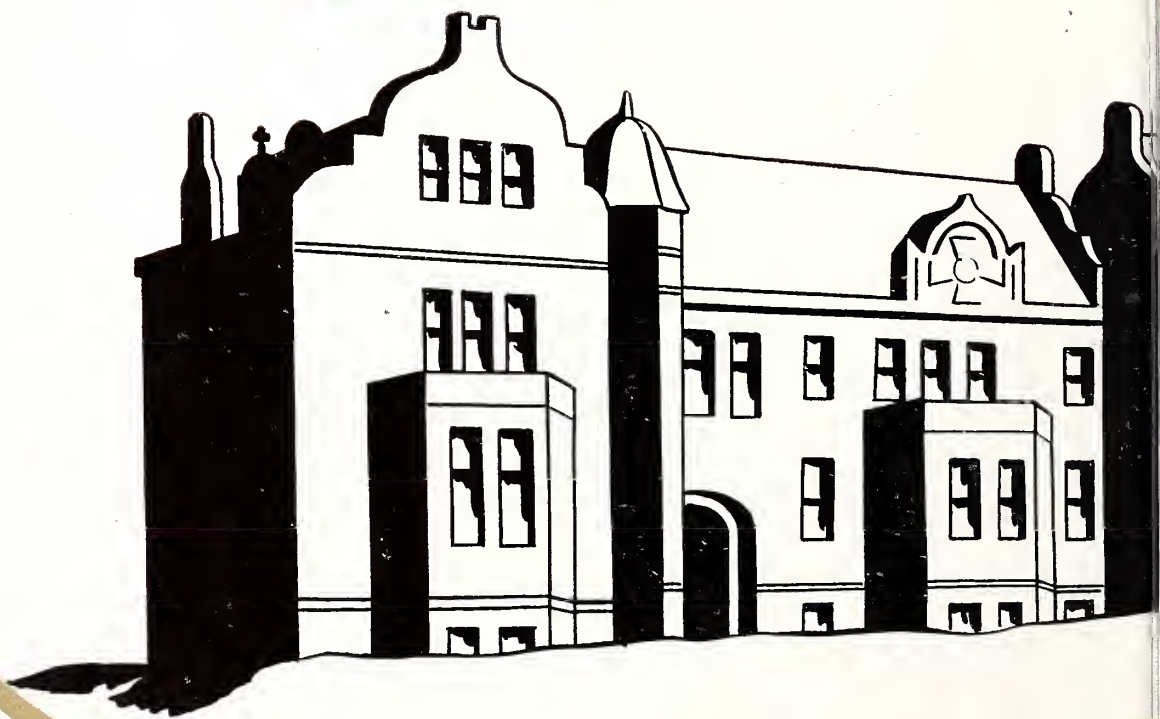




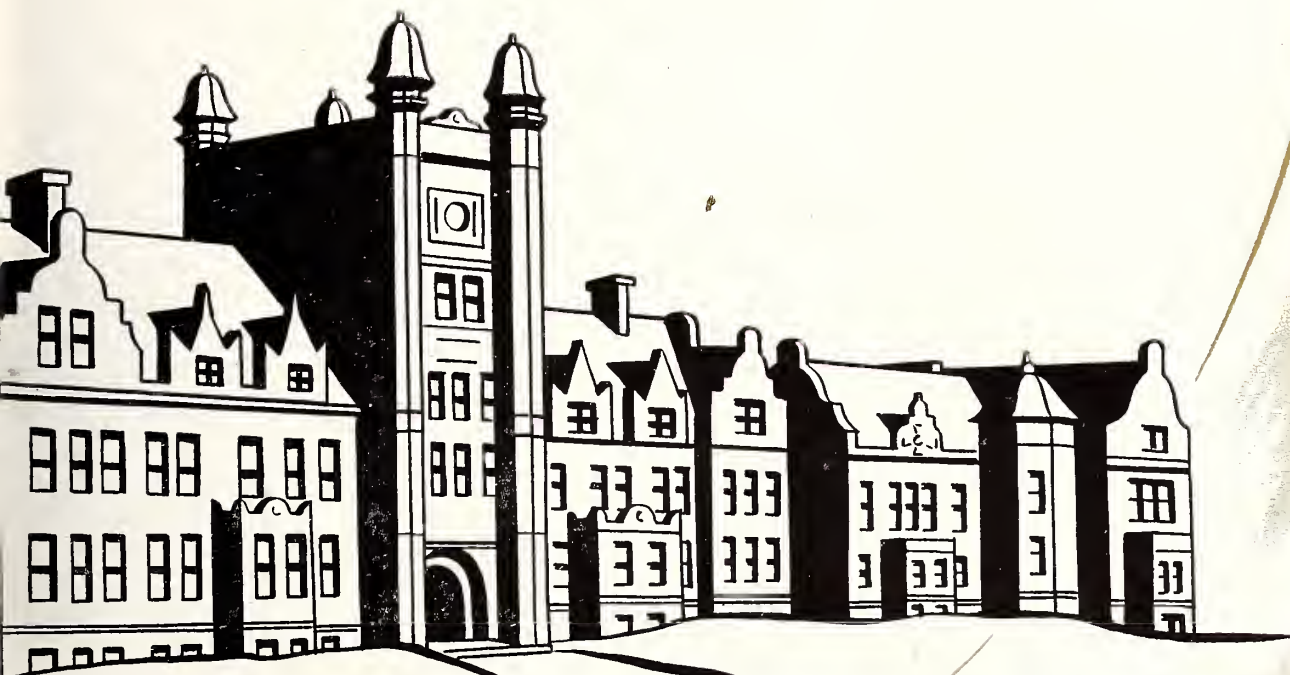
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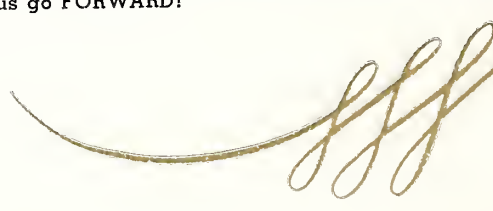
MILLIKIN UNIVERSITY

The Millidek '53 has woven a magic pattern all its own. In the past there has been little change in the organizations, the faculty, the activities, and the advertisers, but the Millidek '53 is a different milestone in the last half-century of Millikin education. This is our Semi-Centennial issue. This issue marks the progress of education in an institution dedicated to increased learning through Christian ideals.

We have watched the increase of faculty members; we have seen the student population grow. We have seen our men go off to fight in two World Wars; we have seen a depression and an era of prosperity. And now, in our time, again we have a bitter conflict raging, but we have courage and faith in the future. We have seen our University weather other storms, in other periods, and we are not afraid of the future because we have survived through other trials of life and because we are sure of our place in life at Millikin and in society.

Therefore, it is appropriate that we say, "FORWARD". It is appropriate that we continue to go FORWARD through the future years, not reluctantly, but with confidence in our ideals and aspirations.

The pattern which students follow is—work, enjoyment, disappointment, and accomplishment. We have begun to build a new science hall, our athletic teams have done well, and our graduates are making good records. The pattern for Millikin is the same: WORK, PROGRESS, AND DEVELOPMENT. Let us go FORWARD!





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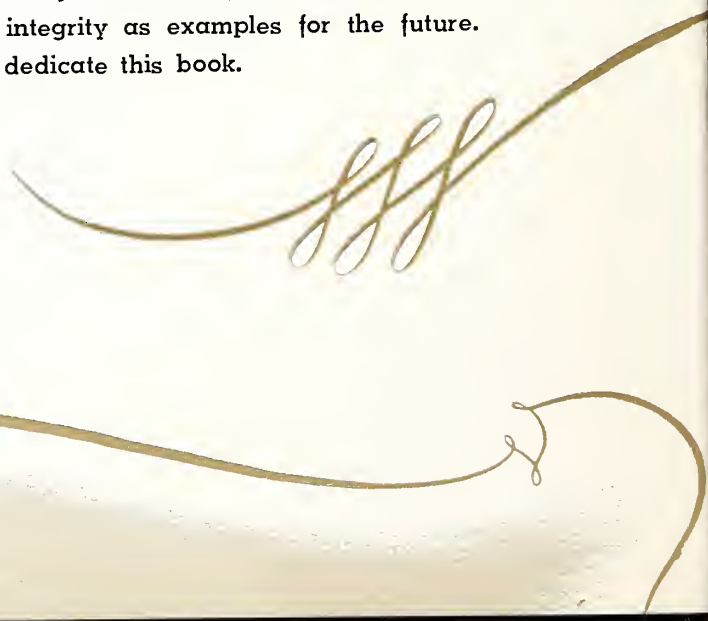
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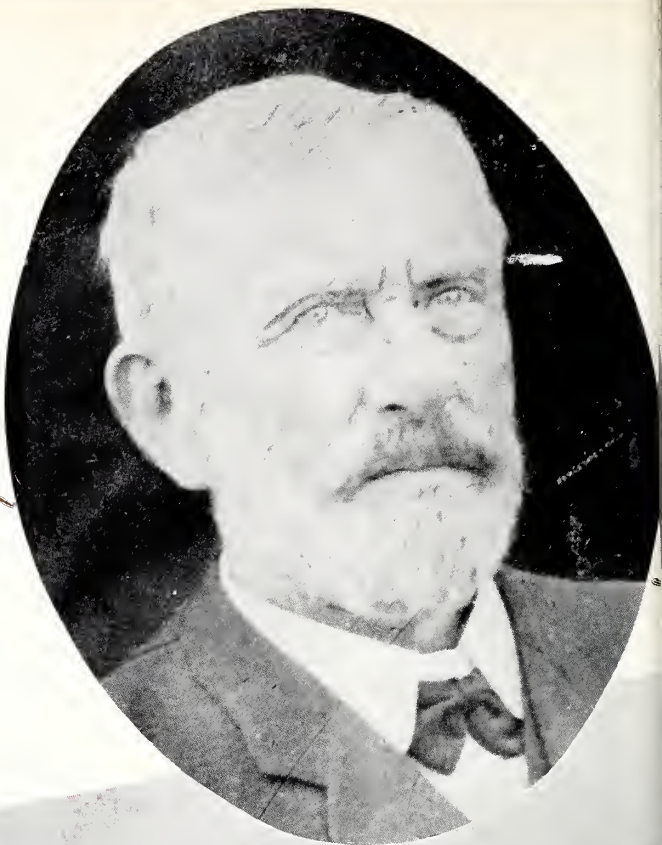
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To Davida McCaslin
PROFESSOR EMERITUS OF ENGLISH

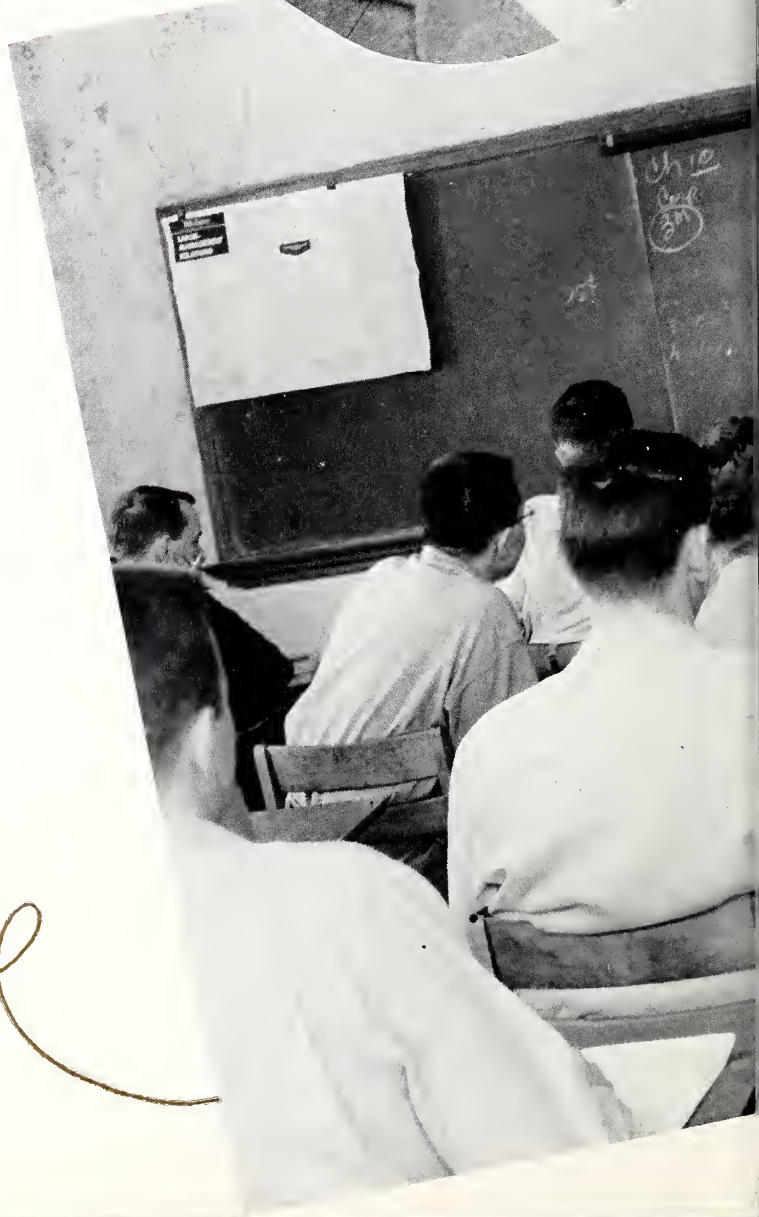
The Millidek staff here express their appreciation of your forty-five years of devoted service to Millikin. You are known to many students now in school and to many more alumni as a great teacher and a great person. As Millikin goes into its second half-century, we may well take your charm, your gracious scholarship, and your fine integrity as examples for the future. To you, Miss McCaslin, we dedicate this book.







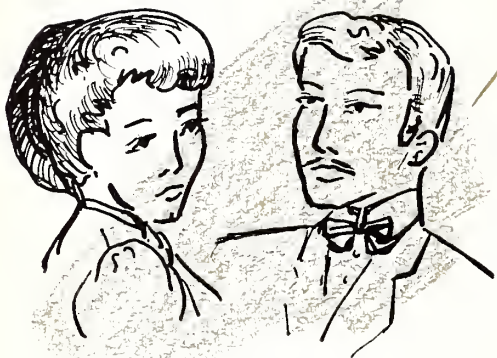
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*Our founder's
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*We've cleaned
it up a bit*



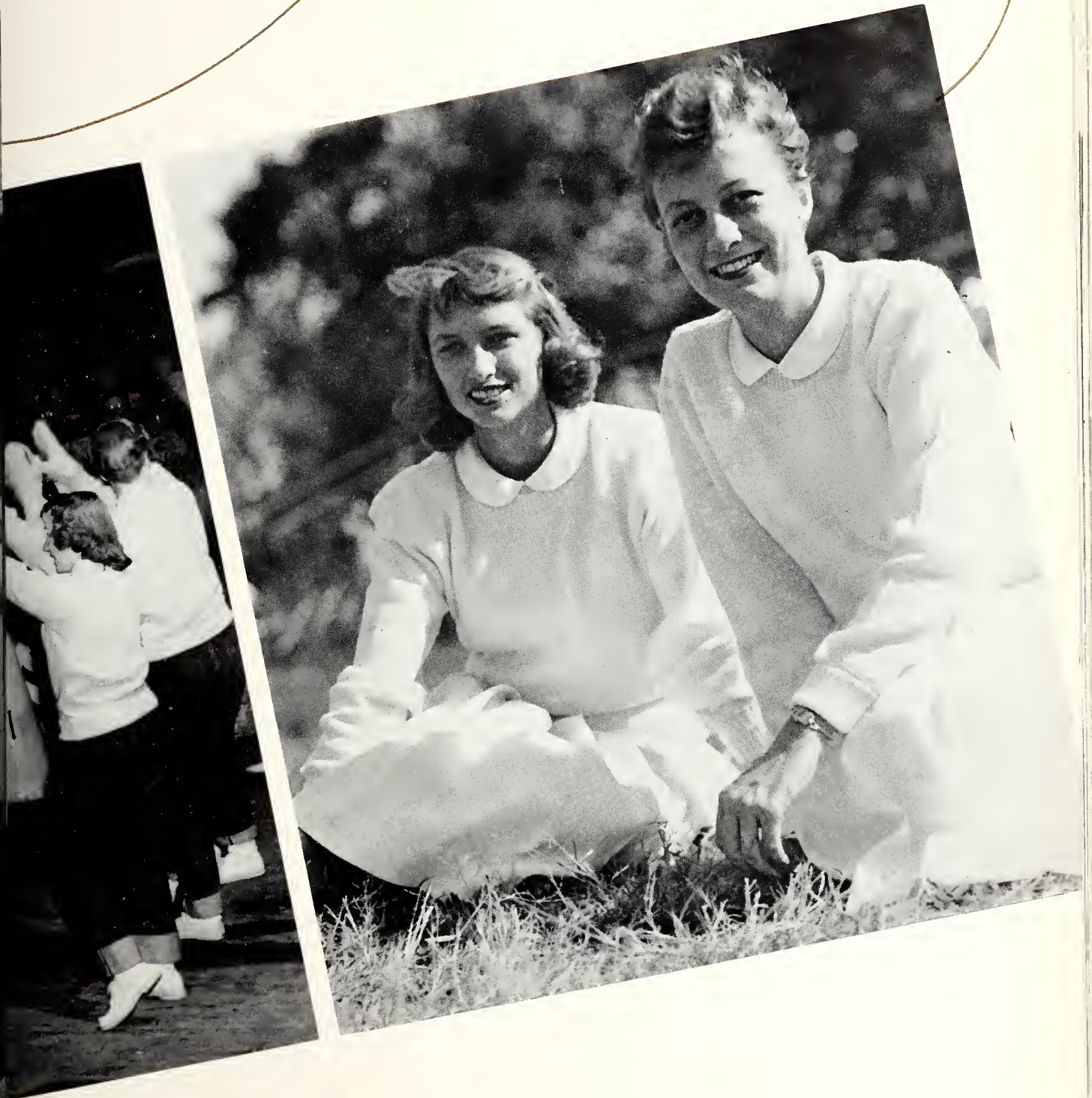


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*Good or bad,
we've changed*





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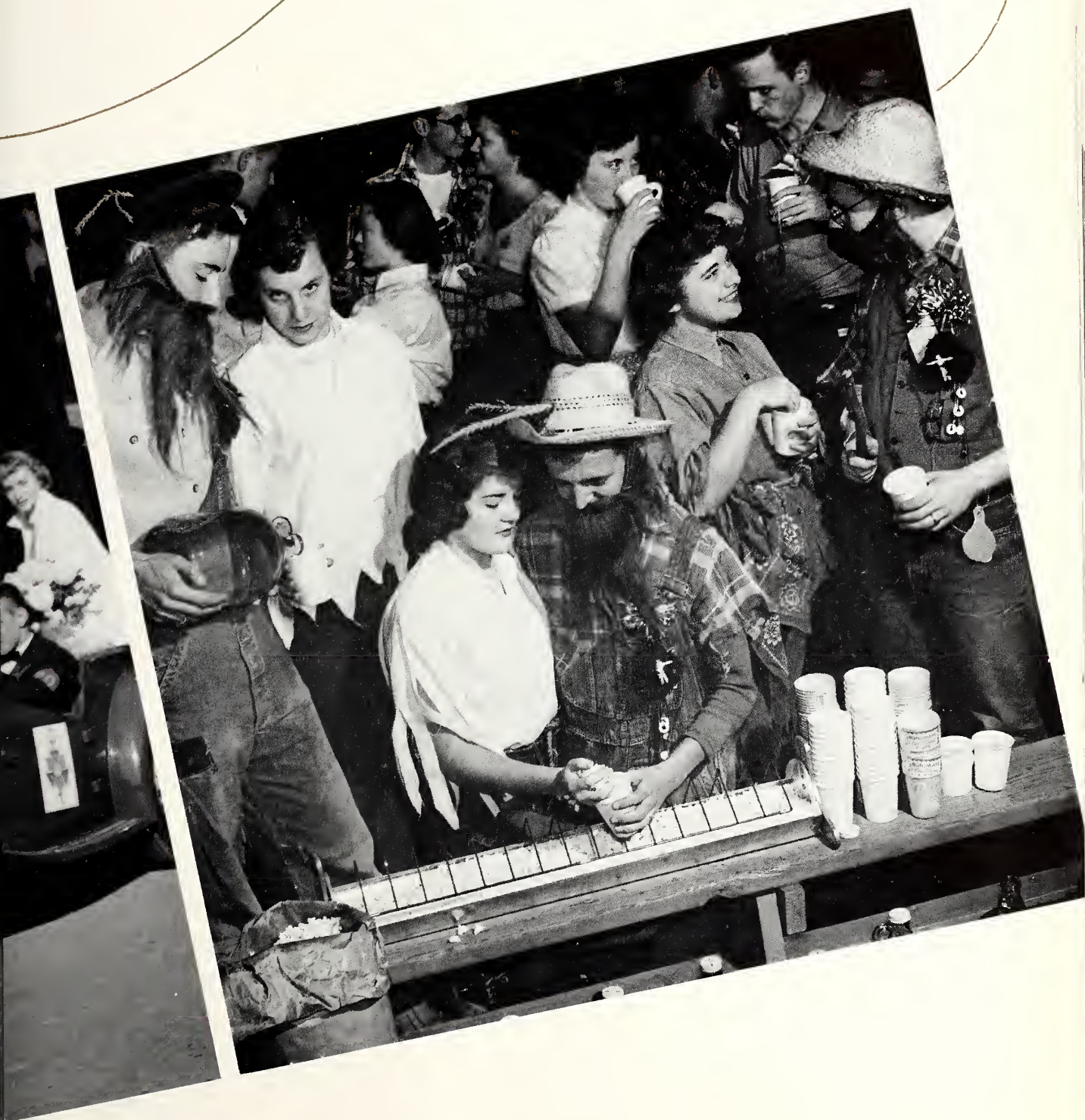


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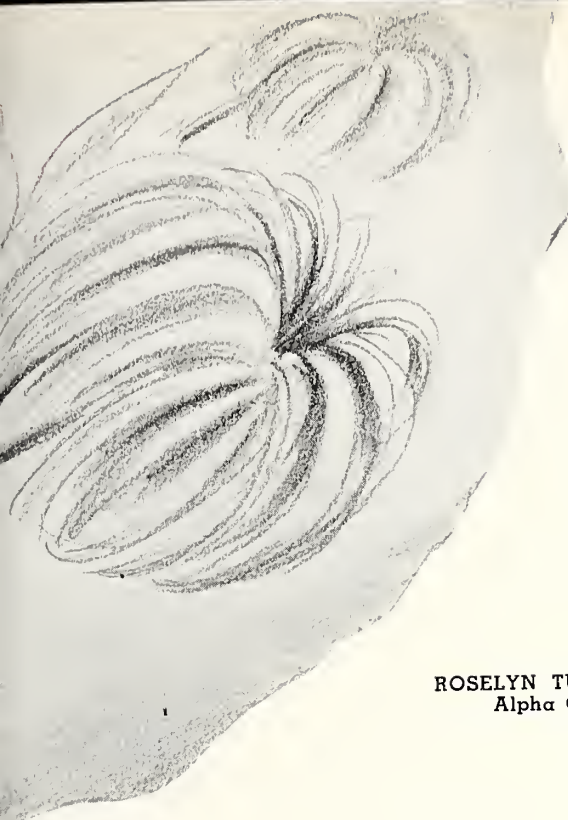


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Mary Ellen Ripley
Pi Beta Phi

1952 Homecoming Queen
and Her Attendants



ROSELYN TURNER HOUSER
Alpha Chi Omega



RUTH MOORE
Zeta Tau Alpha



PAT MILES
Delta Delta Delta



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Millikin
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HOMECOMING

Homecoming '52 was an exceptional one because of the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary, and many alums attended who had not been around the hallowed halls for some time.

The program opened October 17 with a pep assembly and the Freshman-Sophomore Contests, which the Sophomores won. That evening the Cavalcade of Talent in Albert Taylor Hall was followed by the pep rally and bonfire on the back campus.

On October 18, there was the Homecoming parade, honoring the '52 queen, Mary Ellen Ripley, Pi Beta Phi, and the Homecoming and other queens of past years. In the afternoon Millikin's football team beat Illinois College, and the crowd cheered them on amid a sea of mums and balloons. After the game the alums renewed old acquaintances among the faculty at the Coffee Party in the gymnasium. That evening Henry Brandon's band from Chicago played for the dance in the Decatur Armory.

The girls who worked so hard to arrange all this were Donna Riechman and Marjorie Johnstone, Co-chairmen.

**Co-Chairman—Marjorie Johnstone
and Donna Riechman**



Zeta Tau Alpha
won a first



Delta Delta Delta won a first
on house decorations



Sigma Alpha Epsilon won a first

Homecoming Decorations

House decorations were won for the second year in a row by Delta Delta Delta with their alarm clock. When the hands reached twelve o'clock, the bell rang and moved up and down. The two best floats were those of Zeta Tau Alpha and Sigma Alpha Epsilon. The Zetas kept their trophy, since this was the third year they had won the float decorations.

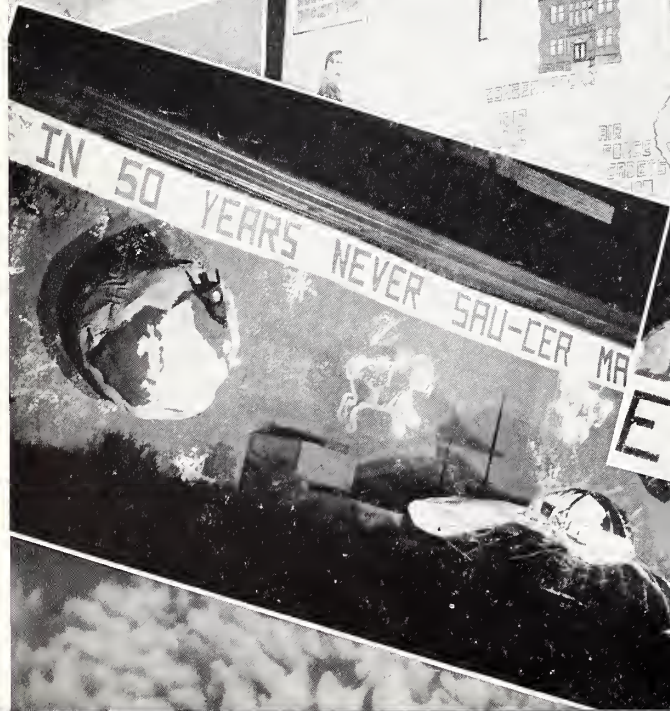
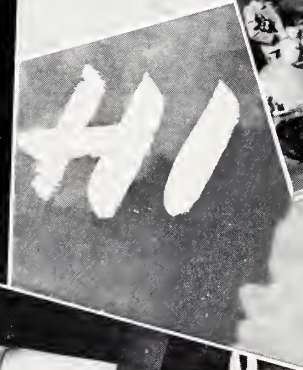
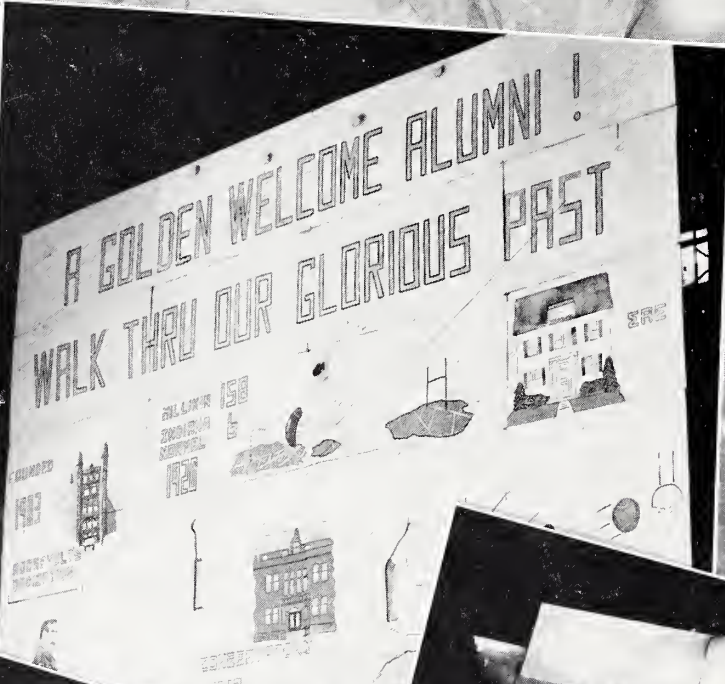
Queen Mary Ellen Ripley
in her float

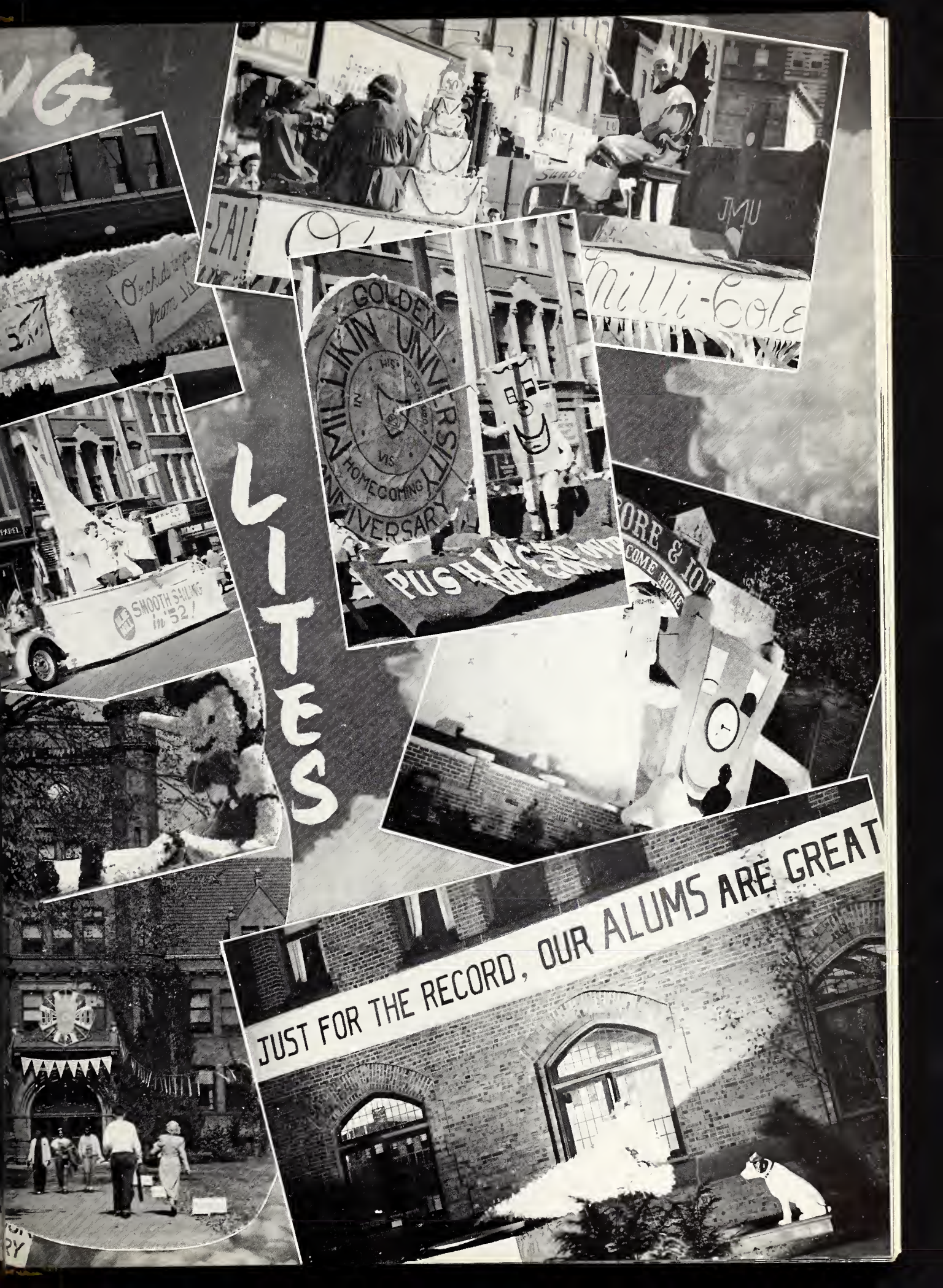


The crowned queen and
her attendants



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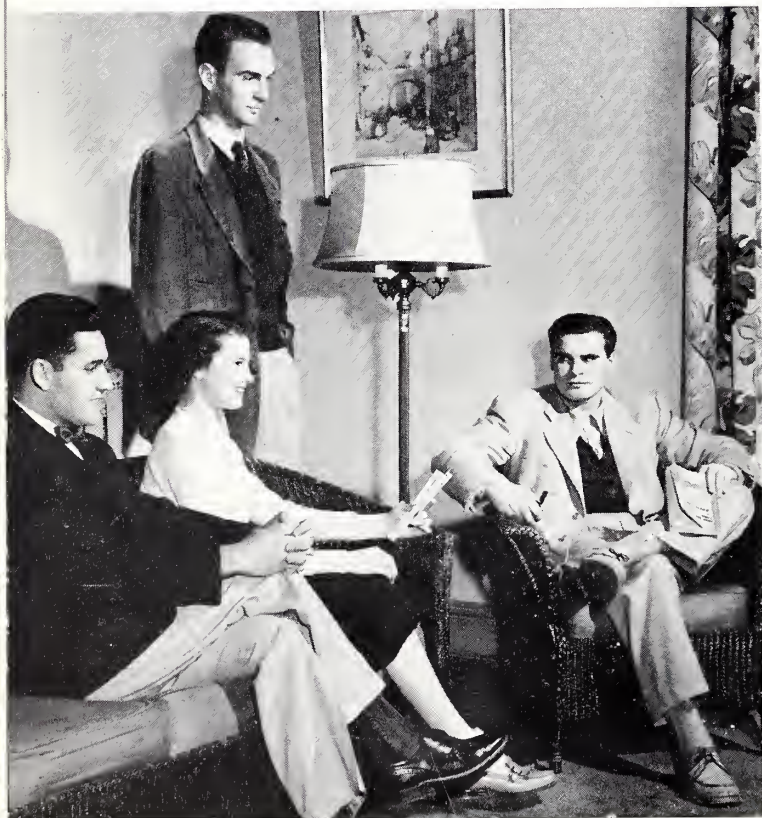
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JUST FOR THE RECORD, OUR ALUMS ARE GREAT

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TOWN AND GOWN

"BOY MEETS GIRL"



The first presentation of Town and Gown this year was "Boy Meets Girl", by Belle and Samuel Spewack, on October 21 and 22 in the Masonic Temple. This racy, fast-moving comedy was given "arena style" with the audience on three sides, and only furniture and costumes were used to indicate time and place, since no scenery could be employed. Although the circle theatre made it more difficult for the actors, it gave a more realistic impression for the audience.

Jim Thomas capably handled the role of C. F. Friday, a Hollywood movie producer, who is the central figure. His two out-cast scenario writers, J. Carlyle Benson (Irving Geisser) and Robert Law (Ted Bell), with the collaboration of Warren Hayes and Jerry Friend as Green and Slade, the song-writing team, kept the audience in a gay state of mind with their hilarious antics.

Larry Toms, the cowboy, played by Vern Dalluge, was made the scape-goat



of many a practical joke, but he tried to keep up his fading reputation as a movie cowboy. He hated to take second billing to Happy, the \$3,500-a-week infant of Susie, but he had no alternative. Frank Beaman was cast as the businesslike Rosetti, who as Larry Toms' agent was constantly trying to keep up Toms' prestige.

Janet Beaumont gave a splendid portrayal of Susie, the innocent young lady who never went to high school, and who seemed to have misplaced the father of her baby.

Good supporting roles in the cast were given by Shirley McElhany as Miss Crews, the secretary of Mr. Friday, and Jamil Toubbeh, who capably filled the role of the Indian soldier who won Susie for his wife.

Director of the play was Dr. M. W. Tillson, and Bob Marsden was stage manager.



OPERA

"MADAME BUTTERFLY"



Millikin's Conservatory presented, instead of one full-length opera, the first act of "Madame Butterfly" and a one-act comedy, "Gianni-Schicchi", both by Puccini.

The scene of "Madame Butterfly" is laid in Japan and deals with a marriage contract, effected by marriage broker, between Lieutenant Pinkerton and a Japanese girl, Butterfly, who is deeply in love with him. The contract can be broken whenever the lieutenant wishes, but his friend, the consul, warns him against the marriage because he knows how seriously Butterfly considers it. After the marriage has taken place and Butterfly has severed all connections with her own people, a priest comes to curse her for renouncing her religion, but her husband comforts her and calms her fears.

CAST

Lieutenant B. F. Pinkerton
(U. S. Navy).....David Niederbrach, Keith Frame
Goro, a marriage broker.....Warren Hayes
Suzuki, servant to Cio-Cio-San.....Joann Harden
Sharpless, U. S. Consul.....Arthur Laurell
Cio-Cio-San
(Madame Butterfly).....Nancy Zi, Eileen Tertocha
The Imperial Commissioner.....Jay Cox
The Uncle Priest.....Theodore Bell

"Gianni-Schicchi" is a comic account of the scheming of Buoso Donati's family to obtain for themselves all his property, which he has willed to the church. As the scene opens, the family is bemoaning the fact that their dear relative, Buoso, has died, but when they find the will, their feigned tears of grief turn to cries of disappointment. Rinuccio, who is in love with Gianni-Schicchi's daughter, suggests that they ask for his help. Schicchi decides to impersonate Buoso on his deathbed, since no one else knows of his death as yet, and dictate another will to a notary. When the



OPERA

"GIANNI-SCHICCHI"

CAST

Gianni-Schicchi	William Briggs
Lauretta (his daughter)	Nancy Zi, Eileen Tertocha
Zita (a cousin to Buoso)	Joann Harden, Helen Cox
Rinuccio (Zita's nephew)	Keith Frame
Gherardo (Buoso's nephew)	David Niederbrach
Nella (Gherardo's wife)	Janet Keeler, Mary Jo Kellams
Betto (poor relative)	Harold Henderson
Simone (a cousin to Buoso)	Joe Williams
Marco (his son)	Theodore Bell
La Ciesca (Marco's wife)	Trudy Geisler
Master Spinelloccio (physician)	Jerry Friend
Amantio Di Nicclao (notary)	Jay Cox
Pinellino (shoemaker)	Richard Gilmour
Guccio (a dyer)	Jerry Friend
Gherardino (son of Gherardo)	Barbara Munson

notary arrives, Schicchi, dressed in Buoso's night gown and cap, easily distributes the minor possessions among the relatives, but he leaves the most important ones, for which a few of the relatives have made private propositions with him, until last. As he dictates this part of the will, the relatives hold their breath. He leaves them all to his good friend Gianni-Schicchi. As soon as the notary has left, the relatives all pounce upon him, but he succeeds in ordering them out of his newly acquired house. The opera ends on a happy note as Schicchi is wealthy, and his daughter is now able to marry her lover, Rinuccio.



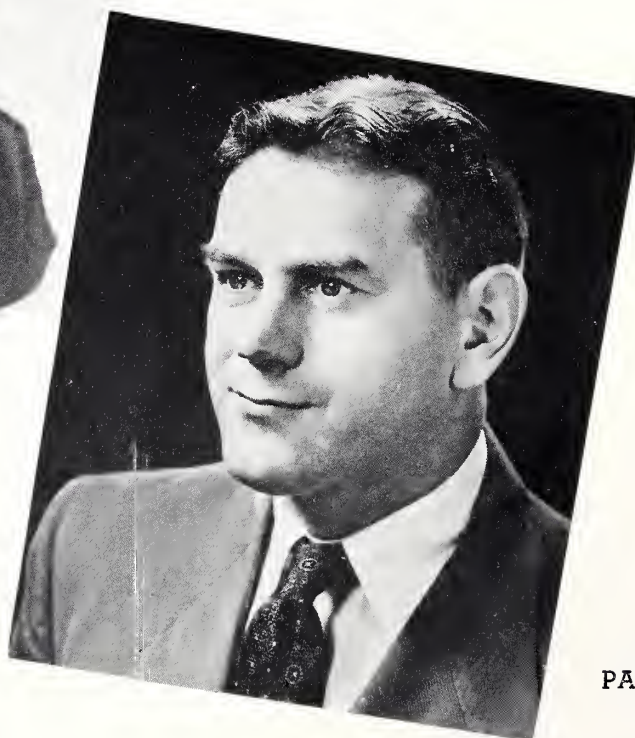
FINE ARTS SERIES



ELIZABETH TRAVIS



DOROTHY MAYNOR



PAUL ENGLE



BALLET Russe DE MONTE CARLO



A distinctive feature of the Fiftieth Anniversary year was a program in the fine arts arranged by a committee of the faculty. This committee set up the usual local events: radio programs, Town and Gown plays, exhibits, and performances by Conservatory groups. It sponsored a special Semi-Centennial Series of five programs by professional artists: Basil Rathbone, the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo, Paul Engle, Elizabeth Travis, and Dorothy Maynor.

A committee of alumni sponsored the off campus sale of season tickets, which did not last long. Single admissions for the event in the Masonic Temple went fast, too.

So popular was the red letter series that the University has voted to present a similar program next year. Those who manage to get season tickets will be fortunate.





RATHBONE

Mr. Rathbone informally talked with students and townspeople back stage after his lecture in the Masonic Temple. The large gathering shows the interest of Millikin students in meeting and talking with the renowned Basil Rathbone.



BASIL
RATHBONE





CAMPUS CHEST

Give With The Rest To Expand The Chest

The Campus Chest Drive for 1953, headed by Barbara Munson and Ken Merwin, began November 17 and 18 with Tag Day. On November 19, the faculty was auctioned off in Westminster Church by Jim Thomas, the Faculty-Student basketball game was November 21, and the climax of the week was the Campus Chest Carnival, November 22, in the gymnasium, with Wally Knutson and Nancy Todd reigning over the festivities as King and Queen.

The goal for the Campus Chest of 1953 was \$2,000, and the students "gave with the rest to expand the chest" to \$2,800. The organizations receiving help from this drive are W.S.S.F., with the largest portion, the Community Chest, CARE, the United Negro Fund, the March of Dimes, and the American Legion Poppy Sales.

Some of the committee chairmen were: Delores Hayes, Carnival; Loren Cameron, Finances; Joe Killpatrick, Publicity; and Don Pogue and Jan Mueller, Pledge Cards.



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ORGANIZATIONS







Row 1: I. Gilman, C. Bruns, D. Pride, B. Harrington.
Row 2: K. McCarthy, P. Miles, M. Johnstone, Dean Falvey, J. Davis.

PANHELLENIC COUNCIL

The Panhellenic Council is an organization composed of the presidents and rush chairmen from each of the four national women's social fraternities on campus. Its main functions are to guide the activities of these fraternities and to make and enforce rushing rules. It is sponsored by Dean Falvey.

Its activities were begun this year by formal rush, climaxed with the annual Panhellenic dinner honoring the new pledges of each organization, which was held at Hotel Orlando. Next, came the Panhellenic Dance, "Hellenistic Heaven", with music provided by Johnny Bruce. An activity which is continuous throughout the school year is the exchange dinners, held between all fraternities, both men's and women's. Joint meetings are held semi-annually with the Inter-Fraternity Council mainly for an exchange of ideas.

It is the aim of the Panhellenic Council to promote cooperation and foster better relationships between the women's fraternities on Millikin's campus.

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	Marjorie Johnstone	Ann Welshans
Vice-President	Kathleen McCarthy	Jeanne Sparks
Secretary	Pat Miles	Martha Robinson
Treasurer	Jackie Davis	Betty Nelson

Panhellenic Past and Present Presidents
Ann Welshans, Marjorie Johnstone





Interfraternity Past and Present Presidents
Roderick Canfield, James Fitzgerald

INTER-FRATERNITY COUNCIL

The Millikin Inter-Fraternity Council is an organization composed of representatives of the Greek fraternities on the university campus. Its purpose is to serve as a clearing house for matters common to all the fraternities and as a coordinator of their activities.

Each organization is represented by its president, two representatives, and its faculty advisor. The Dean of the University is an ex-officio member of the Council.

So as to maintain equal representation of each fraternity in the council, informal meetings held once a month, Council presidency, and representation each year to the National Inter-Fraternity Council, are rotated in respective order.

The social activities of the Council vary from the promoting of the all-fraternity formal dance once a year to the dinner exchange program with the other Greek organizations once a month. Recently, the Council was instrumental in securing the new trophy case located in the main hall of the University. Other projects included are the selling of pennants, balloons, etc., at football games. Supervising the rushing program among the men's houses is another important function of the council. The intramural athletic program, competition in the homecoming float and house decoration, and the University Sing are all participated in and encouraged by the I. F. C.

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	Rod Canfield	Jim Fitzgerald
Secretary	Bill Keck	Bud Mueller
Treasurer	Jim Fitzgerald	Bud Wirth
Social Chairman.....	Bob Edwards	Bob Edwards

Row 1: Mr. Kerns, E. Wirth, J. Fitzgerald, C. Mueller, Mr. Smith.
Row 2: R. Canfield, J. Luttrell, J. Shepherd, J. Dettro, R. Jones, Dean Ploenges, R. Edwards, D. Richards, F. Schwalbe, D. Sessler.





Row 1: A. Sickman, M. Griffin, C. McNiel, L. Watson, M. Kel-
lams, H. Jackson.
Row 2: C. Bruns, H. Foster, D. Fisher, R. Houser, K. McCarthy,
J. Coen, J. Keeler, M. Crawford, Mrs. Lewman.
Row 3: L. Vasiloff, M. Buehrer, D. Hiser, A. Turner, M. Arbo-

gast, M. Potts, S. Estes, J. Johnson.
Row 4: B. Thompson, D. Gore, E. Andree, L. Wolff, J. Stone,
L. Judd, H. Reynolds, D. Champion.
Row 5: L. Jensen, P. Jones, M. Clayton, J. Watkins, M. Keeler,
A. Welshans, G. Hodge, B. Ficker, D. Fisk.



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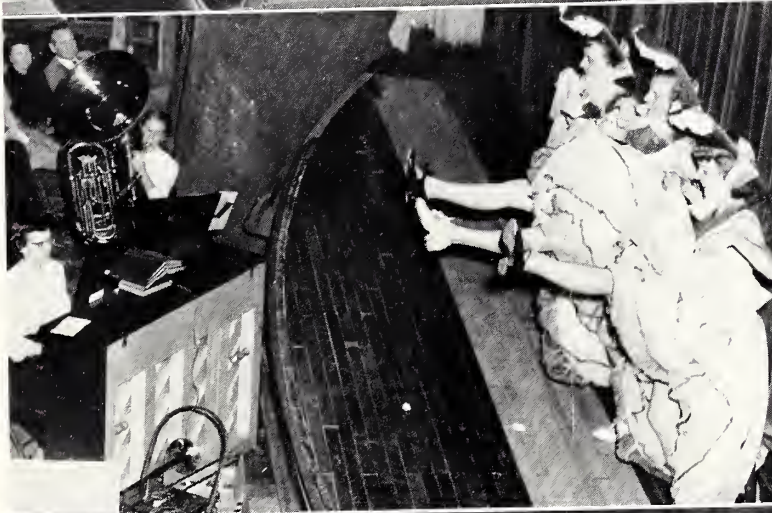
This school year Alpha Chi Omega opened its social year with a street dance for the whole student body. When Homecoming came along we took second place in both the house and float decorations. Rosie Turner Houser was our candidate for the 50th anniversary Homecoming queen. Our pledges gave a "Yankee Doodle Dip" dance for the actives. Our winter formal theme was "Surrealistic Dreams." The evening before vacation we had a Christmas party for the chapter and went caroling afterwards.

Starting the second semester the actives honored the new initiates with a "Heart's Desire" dance. The next big event on the calendar was the University Sing, in which we placed second. The following two weeks were devoted to the Variety Show with "A Serenade of 3,000 A.D." State Day for all Alpha Chi chapters in Illinois was held here at Upsilon Chapter house at Millikin. The spring formal ended the school year, adding to the many pleasant memories we already had stored up.

Our roll of achievements for this year includes: Marilyn Crawford, president of Tau Chi Pi; Janice Johnson, cheerleader; Margie Keeler, vice-president of W.A.A.; Janice Stone, secretary of W.A.A.; Kathleen McCarthy, president of French Club; Marilyn Griffin, Rosie Turner Houser, Diane Fisher, Lois Jensen, members of Pi Mu Theta, Kathleen McCarthy, Who's Who; Marilyn Griffin, Diane Fisher, members of Phi Kappa Phi; Rosie Turner Houser, Senior Class Treasurer; Carol Bruns, Sophomore Class Vice-President; Polly Jones, Freshman Class Secretary; Janice Johnson, Freshman Class Treasurer; Marilyn Griffin, Co-editor of the Decaturian; Kathleen McCarthy, Vice-President of Panhellenic Council.

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	Kathleen McCarthy.....	Ann Welshans
Vice-President	Janet Coen.....	Mary Ann Potts
Secretary.....	Roselyn Turner Houser.....	Diane Fisher
Treasurer	Diane Fisher.....	Lois Judd





Row 1: M. Parker, M. Watkins, R. Bug, B. Blackburn, S. Joffray, S. McKinney, D. Riechman.

Row 2: D. Storck, B. Dietschy, N. Henry, C. Skinner, M. Wilcox, P. Miles, Mrs. Weinand, C. Bennett, J. Young, M. Stenzel, M. Cole.

Row 3: M. Helmle, J. Collins, D. Schiltz, K. Kaufmann, P.

Leubbers, B. Feltenberger, A. Steinberg, J. Garver, J. Sparks.

Row 4: M. Schroll, S. Poppleton, A. Peacock, C. Kammerer, R. McDonald, H. Cox, B. Van Gundy, S. Watts, D. Stephenson, B. Harrington, B. Genre.

Row 5: N. Fisher, M. Hammill, P. Eaton, S. McFadden, A. Logan, B. Lewis, V. Person, J. Bence, P. Walker, S. Dietschy, D. Lee, E. Campbell, J. File.



DELTA DELTA DELTA

Fall opened and found the Delta girls pledging seventeen new girls and winning once again the cup for Homecoming house decorations.

The routine of classes was lightened by many social events. "Candy Capers" was the name of the winter formal, which was held in the Hotel Orlando. Then the Christmas Pine Tea was held for the faculty members and their families.

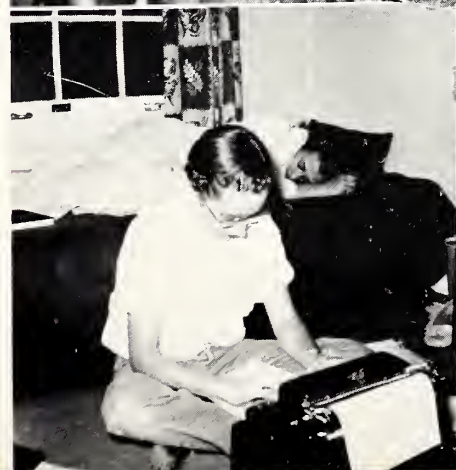
Some of the highlights of our social schedule in the spring were the spring formal, the initiation of the entire pledge class, and the annual Pansy Breakfast.

JoAnn Young was treasurer of the Student Council, Jody Collins again held her position as captain of the cheerleaders, and Sharon McFadden also was elected cheerleader. Mary Ann Stenzel was vice-president of F. T. A. and also president of Tau Chi Pi. W. A. A. offices were held by Marge Parker and JoAnn Young. Jeanne Sparks was treasurer of the Junior Class. Donna Reichmann was co-chairman of Homecoming, Jo Bence served as vice-president of the Home Economics Club, and Becky Blackburn was vice-president of French Club. Betty Harrington was co-editor of the Millidek. Nancy Henry was treasurer of Pi Mu Theta.

Betty Harrington represented the Tri Deltas in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Nancy Henry was chosen for Phi Kappa Phi.

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	Patricia Miles	Jeanne Sparks
Vice-President	Connie Bennett	Mary Ann Stenzel
Recording Secretary	Marlene Wilcoxon	Jo Young
Treasurer	Nancy Henry	Donna Schiltz





Row 1: J. Beumont, J. Miller, D. Pride, J. Stengel, J. Lytle, J. Bourland, N. Todd, M. Odell, J. Morris, S. Carroll, N. Shuster.

Row 2: D. Hayes, B. Munson, S. Morrison, D. Ryan, J. Davis, Mrs. Jeffers, J. Dunkel, R. Zust, J. Keating, M. Ripley.

Row 3: A. Blackford, P. Wieland, S. McCottery, H. Dunnett, L. Ryerson, N. Hatch, K. Ross, L. Dubea.

Row 4: V. Megorden, S. Sullan, S. Sampson, P. Talbert, N. Weilepp, M. Blassingame, R. Lacey, B. Brissenden, P. Kerns.

Row 5: M. Robinson, C. Stegenga, J. Peterson, M. Turner, A. Hoogestraat, S. Baker, M. Hinton, J. Stocks, S. Bloss, Y. Borchart.



PI BETA PHI

September found the Pi Phis ready to start another busy year. We had Homcoming activities and the Campus Chest Drive to keep us occupied as well as the many house dances that were held during the year, and our winter formal, "Snowflake Shuffle". Mary Ellen Ripley helped us out by being Homecoming Queen, and Nancy Todd captured the queen title for the Campus Chest Drive.

Representing the chapter on campus, Martha Robinson was vice-president of Student Council. Barbara Munson was society editor of the Decaturian, Delores Hayes was assistant society editor, and Jackie Dunkel and Pat Talbert were in the circulation department. Sue Sullan helped to lead cheers for the Big Blue, and Jackie Davis and Barbara Munson were honored by being in Who's Who. Pi Mu Theta also claimed two of our members, Jackie Davis and Jean Stengel. Jean was also a member of Phi Kappa Phi.

In student government Joyce Keating was Senior Vice-President, Pat Talbert was Junior Secretary, Dorothy Pride was Sophomore Treasurer, and Ann Blackford was Freshman Vice-President.

February started another semester of activities. The University Sing was first, followed by the Variety Show and the spring formal, "May Mood". Then came the Senior Farewell, and we all knew that it was the end of a wonderful year.

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	Jackie Davis.....	Martha Robinson
Vice-President	Jean Stengel.....	Sally Carroll
Secretary	Roberta Zust	Ruth Butts
Treasurer	Sally Carroll.....	Janice Stocks





Row 1: P. Bowers, N. Janes, B. Dixon, V. Borse, K. Clark, P. Hoffman, B. Long, C. Johnson.
 Row 2: M. Hubbell, M. Brand, B. Nelson, P. Rannebarger, M. Johnstone, M. Bingman, O. D. McEfee, E. Scherer, M. Kostas.
 Row 3: F. Cocks, R. Bills, J. Stubblefield, J. Shurts, E. DeGroot,

J. Brown, M. Thorpe, C. Engelking, R. Allen, S. Branom.
 Row 4: S. Feuerborn, S. Durbin, J. Hawver, D. Glogau, F. Kimmel, M. Johnston, M. Snyder, K. Houghton, Z. Zimmerman
 Row 5: M. Delaney, C. Randles, R. Moore, G. Coenen, L. Brown, M. Hutchison B. Gregory, J. Gilman, D. Eickhoff.



ZETA TAU ALPHA

The 1952-53 school year was a lot of fun as well as work for the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority. Homecoming was a big event for the chapter as they burned the chapter house mortgage, celebrated forty years on campus, and also won the first place trophy for their float. Zeta Tau Alpha also won the city Panhellenic scholarship trophy. Some of the highlights of the social schedule were a pledge dance called

"Looney Tunes" and the winter formal, "Snow Dreams". The dance for the actives was a great success and the spring formal, "April in Paris", was a fine climax to the many other functions.

Zeta contributed to the campus leaders Barbara Gregory, Home Economics Club president and Dorothy Eickhoff Home Economics Club State President. Rosie Allen cheered for the Big Blue. Marilyn Bingman was co-editor of the Millidek; Verne Borse, Newman Club Secretary; and Carol Cain, majorette. Norma Janes was Pi Mu Theta vice-president and a member of Phi Kappa Phi. Marjorie Johnstone acted as president of the Panhellenic council, is a member of Who's Who, and was co-chairman of Homecoming. The Spanish club was presided over by Betty Nelson, who also received the McCaslin Scholarship. The president of F.T.A. was Pat Rannebarger, and Shirley Branom was the secretary of the organization. Joanne Stubblefield showed her interest in music by being S.A.I. vice-president.

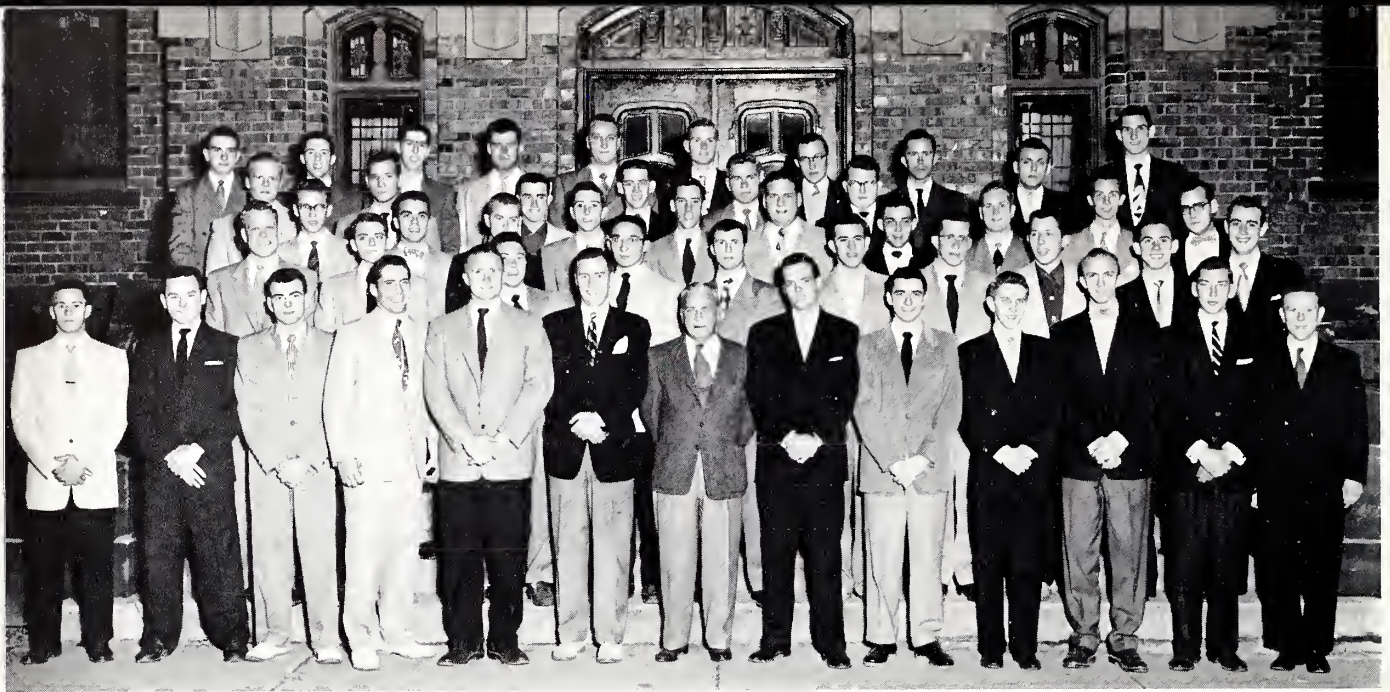
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Vice-President	Patricia Rannebarger	Judy Gilman
Secretary	Marilyn Bingman	Shirley Branom
Treasurer	Betty Nelson	Mary Jean Hubbel





Row 1: W. Savage, D. Lattner, R. Kaminke, L. Epperson, R. Jones, J. Fitzgerald, C. Kieth (Adviser), J. Luttrell, J. Manuell, R. Lansden, G. Daniels, H. Hardcastle, R. Spinner.
 Row 2: J. Barth, J. Witzeman, J. Thompson, R. Kramer, W. Winberg, J. Williams, S. Kaplan, R. Sherman, C. Mueller, C. Atherton.
 Row 3: E. Pratt, B. Tankersley, J. Jeffers, R. Mills, B. Howen-

stine, R. Brown, D. Gneckow, R. Seton, R. Yount, M. Hoffman.

Row 4: H. Kelley, R. Mormino, J. Schnittker, J. Dooley, J. Lally, D. Ferry.

Row 5: R. Kowa, J. Schneider, M. Sheets, S. Smith, H. Pantil, D. Pogue, P. Andrews, G. Scherer, D. Gobert, L. Rozycke.

DELTA SIGMA PHI

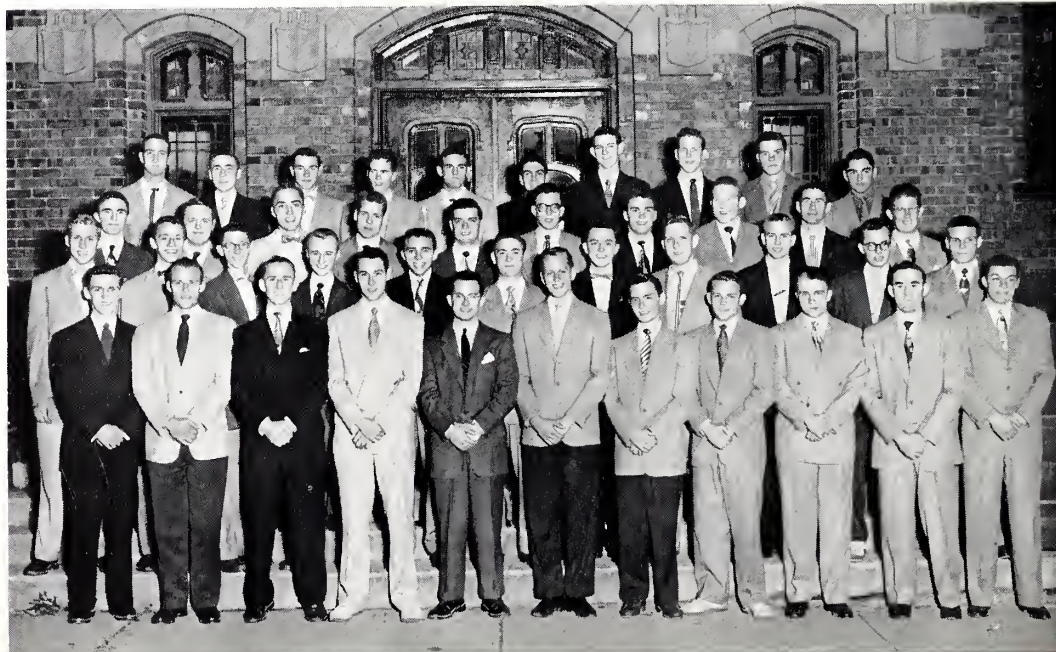


We will remember the fellowship of our brothers in Delta Sigma Phi longer than any other single thing that we have known at Millikin. Working together and living together, the meaning of Delta Sigma Phi, has made us a fraternity. We are proud of our brothers, but it is humble pride, not in ourselves as individuals, but in our membership in a great, growing brotherhood.

A list of the men who have contributed to fraternity life in Alpha Lambda chapter would be much too long—it would have to include all of us. We've got to mention our members of Who's Who—Brothers Manuell, Kowa, Luttrell and Fitzgerald. Brother Winberg followed Brother Merwin as president of Alpha Phi Omega. Brother Winberg is also president of U.Y.F. for the coming year. Pledge Viani is president of Pi Kappa Delta, Brother Kelley is head of M Club, and Brother Mueller serves as

PLEDGES

Row 1: P. Heyduck, J. Biankini, R. Briggs, E. Tryon, F. Beaman, K. Merwin, J. Milligan, J. Dunn, D. Allen, R. Moore, W. Maddux.
 Row 2: R. Eaton, G. Booth, J. Greve, C. Pierce, J. Burdick, T. Minton, C. Leach, D. Baer, D. Warford, W. Thompson, T. Partridge, H. Frost, M. Young, D. Augspurger, W. Dugger, H. Beardsley, R. Quisenberry, R. Futrell, G. Dalton, D. Moran, D. Lidbury.
 Row 3: R. Reed, R. Finley, P. Jones, E. Husted, W. Lewis, R. O'Brien, R. Hartman, D. Peterson, W. Danforth, D. Garnett.



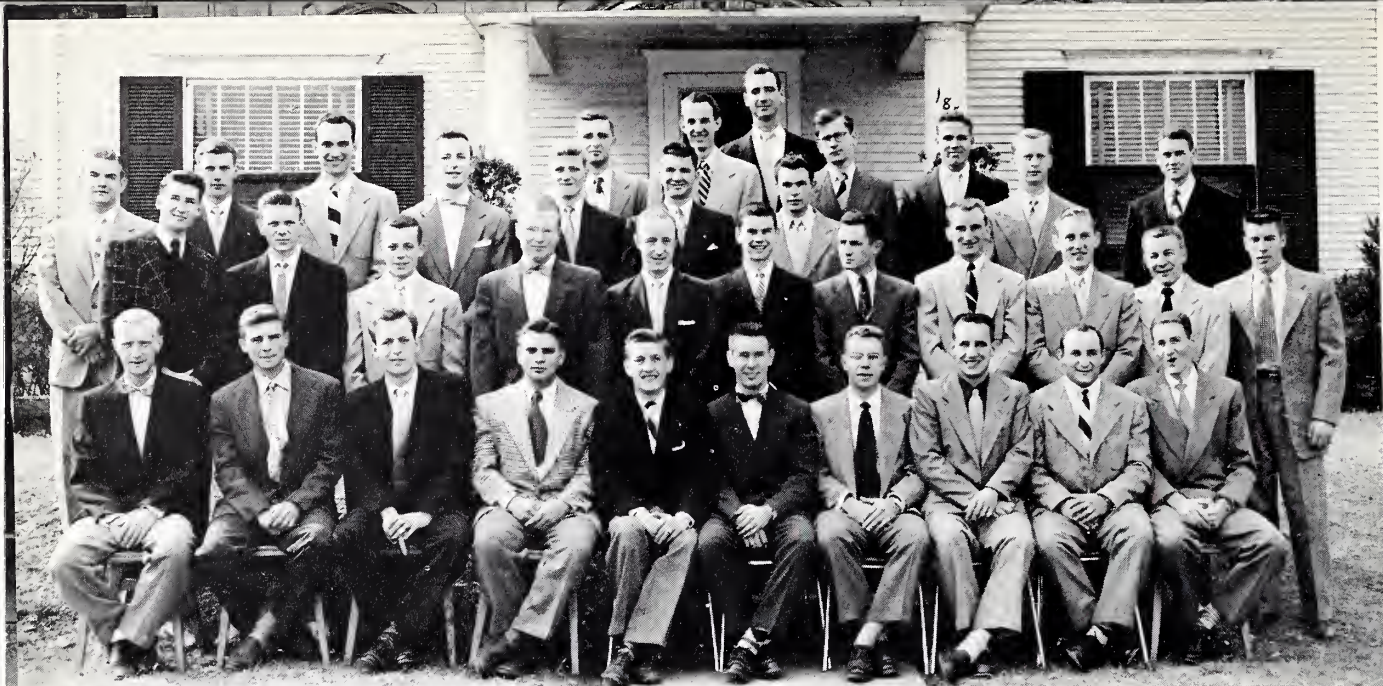
Newman Club President. Brother Manuell was president of M.R.A. and co-chairman of the International Work Camp committee. Brother Gobert, as well as being Millikin's representative to the International Work Camp, was president of the Junior Class, while "Fats" Fitzgerald was Senior Class President, and George Prust was president of the Student Council.

Thanks go to Dick Jones, our president, for his patience, Social Chairman Earl Pratt for many evenings of good fun, our advisers, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Kerns, who are always welcome and always add to the evening, and to Mrs. Sophia Connour, our great friend, who could teach many women the way to a hungry man's heart.

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	John Luttrell	Dick Jones
Vice-President	Jim Fitzgerald	Charles Mueller
Secretary	George Prust	David Gobert
Treasurer	Dick Lansden	Bob Sefton

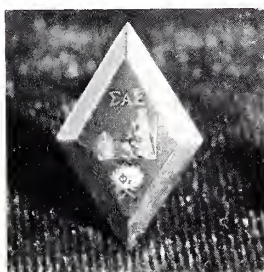




Row 1: K. White, C. Kenney, W. Lytle, D. Dvorak, E. Kury,
J. Shepherd, C. Leverenz, D. Myers, D. Sessler, R. McBride.
Row 2: J. Thomas, R. Corrington, J. Ballowe, W. Reif, B. Schwie-
sow, A. Crable, W. Fulton, R. Dechert, R. Hurlbut, S. Lot-

gren, D. Quevy
Row 3: A. Harrison, W. Knutson, E. Wirth, R. Wright, C. Krohn,
R. Grohne, J. Wallis, D. Beggs, J. Finley
Row 4: V. Bartoletti, G. Rogers, J. Nagel, R. Beverly, D. Potter.

SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON



Not only was this a year of celebration for the school, but it was also one for S. A. E. It was a year that marked the purchase of a new home for the chapter, the acquisition of the Homecoming Float Trophy, the cup for winning the King Contest at the Carnival, a year filled with hard work and good times.

In every phase of student life there was a pin of S. A. E. The co-captain of the football team, the captain of the tennis squad, the captain of the golf team, the captain of the baseball team, assistant editor of the MILLIDEK, business manager of the DECATURIAN.

Socially, the men from "1165" enjoyed many good times with the added benefits of a housemother, Mrs. Esther Reeves, S. A. E. owes much gratitude to Dean E. W. Ploenges, who was a capable and helpful chapter adviser.

PLEDGES

Row 1: B. Taylor, K. Oldham, F. Tyrolt, D. McCann, P. Ryan, D. McLaughlin, R. Anderson, R. Johnson, D. Lancetot, C. Rude.

Row 2: R. Gustin, H. Soenksen, T. Lambert, D. Hess, E. Phelps, W. Bohon, W. Fairbank, P. Neeley, J. Dagen, C. May.

Row 3: T. Rice, J. Ninder, C. Ball, G. Groves, R. Bowman, W. Morrissey.

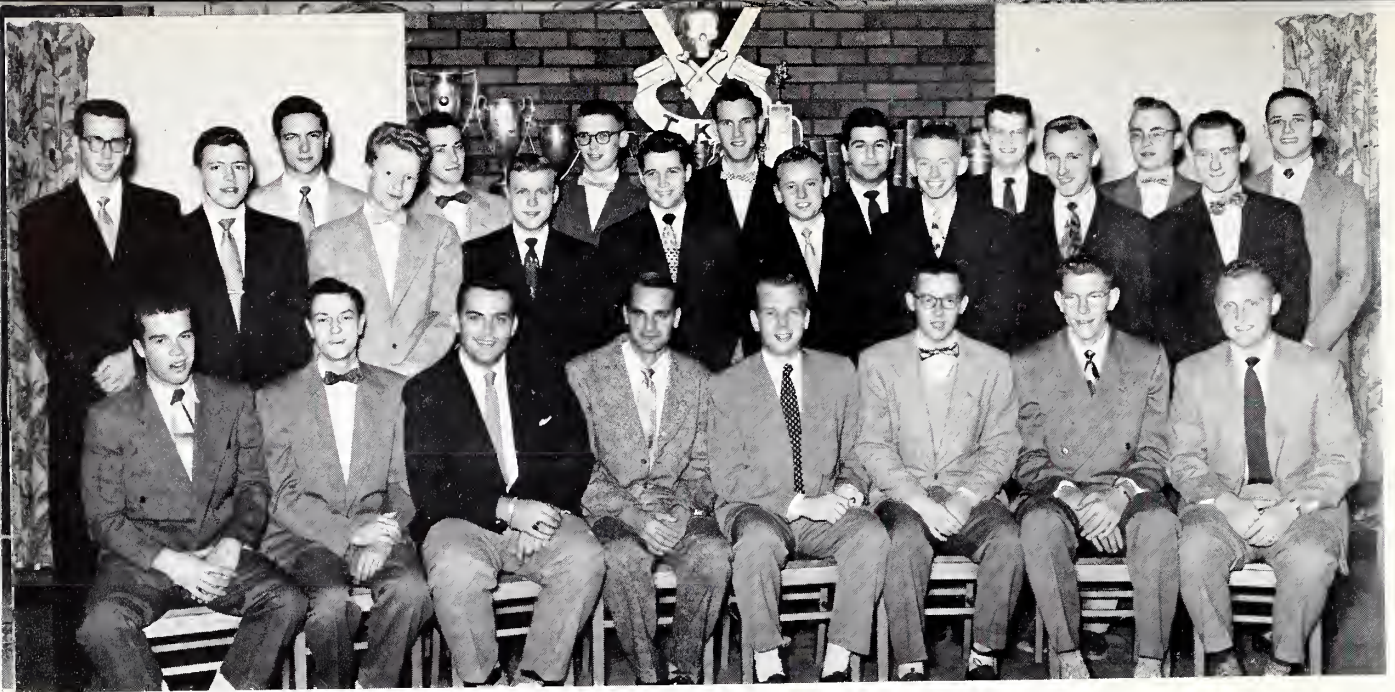


The Greek Sing found the brothers in a pensive mood as they sang a round of "Sweetheart" songs. The Variety Show was the occasion of a traditional S. A. E. Minstrel Show. After many profitable experiences, many good times, and a happy year, graduation will bring to an end a much remembered year.

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	Jack Shepherd.....	Jack Shepherd
Vice-President.....	Edwin Kuny.....	Charles Krohn
Recorder	Dick McBride.....	Charles Kenney
Treasurer	Don Myers.....	Vic Bartoletti





Row 1: D. Brock, F. Edwards, R. Edwards, R. Merritt, D. Richards, J. Henigman, C. Hanser, K. Meseke.
Row 2: J. Williams, J. Crane, J. Lowry, J. Davidson, R. Canfield,

R. Baldwin, W. Gross, A. Uzzell.
Row 3: W. Roth, A. Filley, D. Schupbach, D. Borkenhagen, J. Muren, G. Churukian, D. Snyder, D. Heiden, J. Dettro.

TAU KAPPA EPSILON



"Together we stand as one". This is but one of the many assets of Tau Kappa Epsilon. Tau Kappa Epsilon is a fraternity for life and its members will always remember the friendships made in its bond. We of Beta chapter are proud of this brotherhood found in Teke. Our fraternity is part of the campus life and will always be known for its fine spirit.

As men of Tau Kappa Epsilon we have been fortunate this year in having a full social calendar arranged by John Davidson, our social chairman. He formulated our big formal dances, as well as the frequent house dances, which have been held throughout the school year with great success.

Beta chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon also has been fortunate in having the capable leadership of our president, Dale Richards, who, with the full cooperation of the other chapter officers and men, has followed the true tradition of our charter and the policies that keep our organization "tops".

PLEDGES

Row 1: D. Miller, R. Nolan, A. Loomis.
Row 2: R. Shulke, T. Borden, B. Renfrow, D. Martenson, E. Rolf, D. Weismann.
Row 3: P. Eckert, W. Burley, D. Hagen, D. Brudniak, J. Burdick, A. Richards.



OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	Dale Richards	Dale Richards
Vice-President	Jim Henigman	Jim Henigman
Secretary	Fred Edwards	Fred Edwards
Treasurer	Kenneth Meseke	Dick Heiden





Row 1: H. Dillinger, W. Merritt, B. Burgis, R. Smith, B. McCrory, C. Getz, N. Hoglund, C. Hudson, P. Jackson, L. Weisbecker, E. Lederbrand, E. Toney, N. Currie, K. McFadden, J. Spalding

Row 2: L. Smith, V. Dupree, M. Carter, D. Scarbrough, J. Hatter, S. Handlin, E. Power, J. Katz, L. Matsumoto, A. Duncan, L. Fitzpatrick, G. Dingman, R. Sammons, E. Baker

Row 3: D. Rees, B. Heyduck, W. Smith, S. Cleghorn, B. Davis, L. Bremer, R. Kollman, R. Mullin, E. Cain, L. Lefmann

Row 4: R. Davidson, J. Breckenridge, J. Viani, J. Strom, J. Toubbeh, T. Lauer, S. Musallam, D. Tunnell, E. Leach, C. Conrady, M. Martin, D. Killpatrick

Row 5: C. Forth, L. Moeller, F. Rendfeld, S. Rich, B. Massingale, C. Rein, K. Howden, M. Meyer, B. Abborino, J. Killpatrick, R. Massaro

Row 6: H. Brown, G. Barnes, J. McCarthy, G. Krejci, D. Kennedy, R. Meyer, D. Mackey, F. Stradley, V. Dalluge

MILLIKIN INDEPENDENT ASSOCIATION

1953 . . . This year Millikin University celebrated its 50th birthday and the Independent Association celebrated its fifth big year on campus by being represented in the social, political, and intellectual phases of college life.

In campus organizations the Indees were well represented with leaders as well as members. Some were: Co-editor of the Decaturian, Secretary of Student Council, President and Vice-President of the Art Club, Secretary of the Senior Class, Vice-President and Secretary of University Youth Fellowship, Secretary of Future Teachers of America, and Vice-President of German Club.

Five of our members received national recognition for their outstanding leadership and scholastic ability. Emma Lou Fitzpatrick, Jim

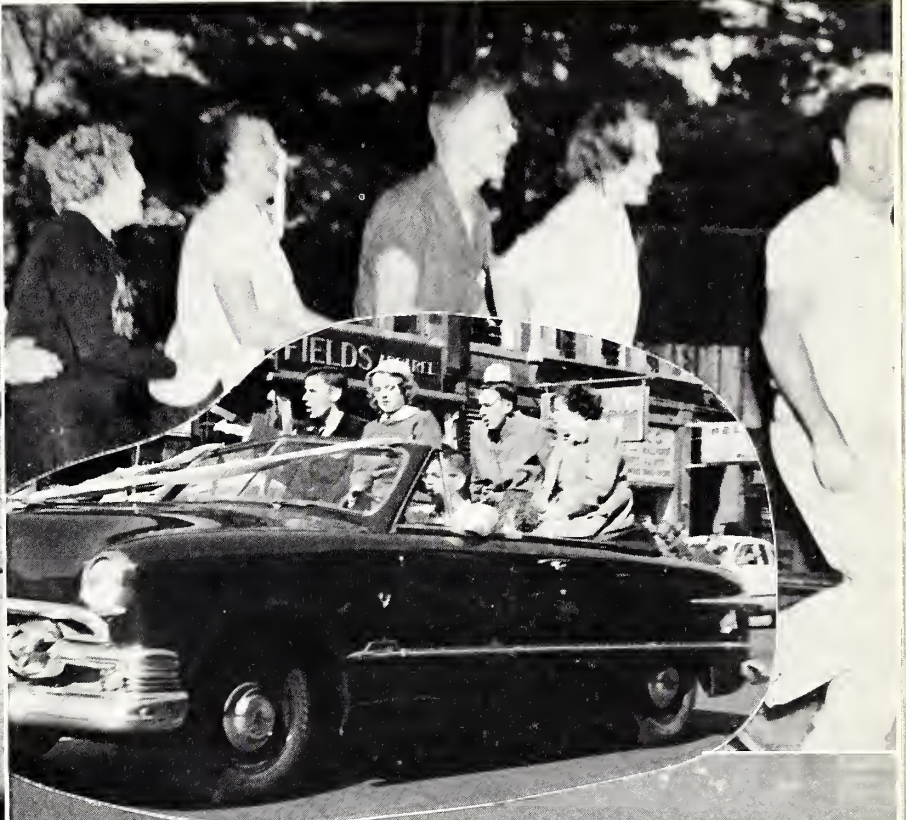
Viani, Trudy Geisler, and Bill Heyduck were elected to Who's Who. Fran Anderson had the honor of being chosen for Who's Who and Phi Kappa Phi.

Not all the time was spent in study. The annual picnic in Fairview Park was a huge success with more food being consumed than ever before. Organization dances were held, and the winter formal, "Snow Flurries", topped off the first semester's social activities.

Before we knew it, the University Sing was scheduled, followed closely by the Variety Show. With so much work, it was spring before we knew it, and our traditional spring formal was the first true sign. Graduation arrived much too soon, for it seemed as though the year had only begun, with much yet to accomplish. So ended our fifth year on campus.

OFFICERS

President Bill Heyduck
 Executive Vice-President Rich Massaro
 Social Vice-President Jenilee Strom
 Secretary Lou Ann Moeller
 Treasurer Ross Mullen





Seated: J. Deputy, J. Stublefield, R. Hess, J. Mueller.
Row 2: T. Geisler, B. Reed, M. Kostas, J. Watkins, R. Kollman, M. Logan, V. Huesmann, S. Coslet, E. Norris, L. Krintz,

E. Tertocha, J. Post, M. Briggs, J. Keeler, J. Harden.
On Stairs: B. Munson, N. Zi, M. Kellams, S. Senn, A. Christner, L. Boner.

SIGMA ALPHA IOTA



Two events will stand out in the memories of SAI's for the school year, 1952-1953: the first act of "Madame Butterfly" and the entire opera "Gianni Schicchi", both by Puccini, were presented in cooperation with Phi Mu Alpha and the music school; and SAI's Illinois State Day was held at Millikin the last part of April.

The first semester's activities included initiation of spring pledges, an all-conservatory mixer co-sponsored with Phi Mu, pledging, participation in Homecoming and Campus Chest activities, and a party for the freshman girls.

The schedule for the second semester included initiation of the fall pledges, redecoration of the chapter room in preparation for State Day, Millikin Sing, presentation of the operas, Variety Show, our annual Rose Tea, pledging, State Day, Rose Dance, and a farewell banquet for our seniors.

This year has been a busy and successful one for Nu chapter of SAI.

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	Jo Deputy	Rita Hess
Vice-President ..	Joanne Stublefield	Madge Briggs
Secretary	Rita Hess	Betty Reed
Treasurer	Janet Mueller	Linda Boner

SIGMA ALPHA IOTA OFFICERS

Row 1: L. Bonner, R. Hess.

Row 2: J. Mueller, V. Huesmann, B. Reed, J. Watkins, M. Briggs, J. Harden.





PHI MU ALPHA OFFICERS

D. Neiderbrach, H. Henderson, J. Cox, E. Morton.

OFFICERS

First Semester Second Semester

President	William Briggs	David Neiderbrach
Vice-President	David Neiderbrach	Harold Henderson
Secretary	Bernard Evans	Jay Cox
Treasurer	Robert Erickson	Eugene Morton



PHI MU ALPHA

Phi Mu Alpha is the national music fraternity on Millikin campus. The main purposes of the fraternity are to further the cause of music in America, to create true fraternal spirit among the members, to aid students of music, and to give loyalty to the school.

Beta Theta chapter undertook many projects during the year, beginning with the rushing activities. Then came Homecoming and the beautiful decorations and parade. On the night of December 7, we held our annual Winter Formal.

The second semester brought new officers, rushing, and pledging. Following this was the beginning of rehearsals and committee work on the operas, "Madame Butterfly" and "Gianni Schicchi", which were a great success. Again this year, as in the past, we co-sponsored competition in the annual Millikin Sing, and we also planned many musical appearances and programs. The annual Spring Formal climaxed another successful year for Beta Theta of Phi Mu Alpha.

Seated: R. Erickson, B. Evans, D. Neiderbrach, W. Briggs.

Row 2: E. Morton, Mr. Burgstahler, B. Drake, H. Henderson, Mr. Snyder, C. Henderson, W. Brown.

Row 3: C. Begelis, R. Mitchell, J. Cox, T. Bell, M. Garrett, W. Hays, R. Connelly, M. Wood, W. Warma.





Row 1: G. Churukian, R. Golubjatnikov, J. Manuell, W. Winberg, J. Schnittker, B. Tryon, K. Merwin, C. Hanser.
Row 2: J. Hauter, R. Saurmann, E. Buese, S. Reutman, I. Palm-

Leis, L. Ojakaar, D. Kennedy, W. Hays, A. Loomis, S. Glowacki, D. Brock
Row 3: R. Thudium, D. Killpatrick, J. Stephenson, G. Krejci, J. Killpatrick, J. Burdick, D. Keck, R. Loomer, E. Rolf.

ALPHA PHI OMEGA

Alpha Phi Omega has expanded since its founding on December 16, 1925, to 258 chapters. A.P.O. has also become international, for there now is A.P.O. in the Philippine Islands. It is a separate organization, but uses the same name, symbols, and is founded on the same principles.

During the past year A.P.O. directed traffic during homecoming and introduced the "share the ride" program. The bulletin board in front of Albert Taylor Hall is another of A.P.O.'s projects.

A.P.O. is bonded by friendship, leadership, and service and is open to all former Scouts who wish to do service to others.

Officers for the year were: Bill Winberg, president; Dick Thudium, first vice-president; Carl Hanser, second vice-president; John Schnittker, recording secretary; and Bud Tryon, treasurer.



ALPHA PHI OMEGA OFFICERS

Seated: J. Schnittker, W. Winberg, B. Tryon.
Standing: K. Merwin, G. Churukian, C. Hanser, R. Golubjatnikov, D. Kennedy.



STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS

G. Prust, President; M. Robinson, Vice-President; J. Young, Treasurer; J. Breckenridge, Secretary

STUDENT COUNCIL

Under President George Prust, the Millikin Student Council has initiated new programs and revived old ones so as to give the student the most possible benefits from an effective student government. The Council acted as the voice of the students to the administration in maintenance of desirable student-faculty rela-

tions, and it supervised many student activities including student publications, student body elections, and the collections of charitable funds on the campus.

The Student Council Social Committee, under Vice-President Martha Robinson, has given the campus a top-notch social program. The highlight of the year was the annual Sweetheart Dance with about 300 couples in attendance. The Sadie Hawkins Dance and the Spring Fever Dance were also well attended.

In helping to work out problems common to officers of student organizations, the Student Council has initiated a leadership school which will operate three times a year—in September, November and March. To help understand the problems of other schools and to further inter-campus relations, the Student Council invited leaders of Illinois Wesleyan University to our campus to meet with the student leaders of fraternities, religious life, and student government on our campus. Student Council representatives attended conferences at Southern Illinois University and the Midwest Conference of Student Government at Elmhurst College.

Other outstanding accomplishments of the Student Council this year include—the purchase of new uniforms for the cheerleaders and providing an impartial method of choosing them; setting up a Student Union Fund to assist in providing a Student Union in the future; opening the SUB and Milliden for dancing and coffee following basketball games; and setting up a committee to raise money and to choose students to attend International Work Camps this summer.

Row 1: J. Young, C. Getz, B. Dietschy, J. Gilman, J. Breckenridge, B. Burgess, E. DeGroot.

Row 2: R. Canfield, M. Robinson, A. Welshans, S. Sampson,

J. Mueller, B. Gregory.

Row 3: B. Nolan, J. Henigman, B. Heyduck, J. Barth, G. Prust, K. Merwin, D. Lattner, R. Deckert.





Row 1: B. Harrington, E. Fitzpatrick, K. McCarthy, M. Johnstone.

Row 2: J. Davis, G. Geisler, F. Anderson, B. Munson.

Row 3: B. Heyduck, J. Manuell, J. Fitzgerald, B. Kowa, J. Luttrell, J. Shepherd, J. Viani.

WHO'S WHO

One of the top honors at Millikin University this year was the election of fifteen students to "Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges". This outstanding honor was bestowed on fourteen seniors and one junior. The junior achieving such recognition was Jim Viani.

Students elected to "Who's Who" have evidenced great strength of character, good social and moral responsibilities, scholastic achievement, and other qualities indicating a strong citizenship, and faithful leadership. Students are nominated to "Who's Who" by an anonymous committee composed of students and faculty, and then are judged by a smaller committee on all the qualities indicated as essential. The list of nominees is then sent in to "Who's Who" for national approval, after which time the students are notified of their election.

Following the national election, the students' names are placed in the Annual Publication of "Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges". "Who's Who" also furnishes a widely known placement bureau for all members.

PHI KAPPA PHI

Seated: F. Anderson, D. Fisher, M. Griffin, N. Henry, B. Harrington.

Standing: N. Janes, L. Krintz, T. Lauer, L. Cameron, R. Erickson, J. McCray, J. Viani, R. Hess, J. Mueller.



PI MU THETA

Pi Mu Theta is Millikin's senior women's honorary organization. Founded in 1914, it is comparable to the women's Mortar Board Society, and all members have had at least a 3.0 average for their first three years at Millikin.

The main objective of the chapter is to provide a \$50.00 scholarship each semester for a deserving and outstanding junior woman student of the university. To this end, the organization has raised money by selling mums at the Homecoming game, coffee and donuts in Lower Hall between classes, and programs at the University Sing and the Variety Show.

Officers for this year were: Jean Stengel, president; Norma Janes, vice-president; Trudy Geisler, secretary; and Nancy Henry, treasurer.

PHI KAPPA PHI

Phi Kappa Phi is one of the two national honor fraternities in the country, the other being Phi Beta Kappa. To be eligible for membership in this highest honorary organization, a student must have high scholarship and good character. Every year an Annual Honors Day Assembly is held at which time the new initiates are honored.



PI MU THETA

J. Davis, N. Janes, J. Kirby, B. Harrington, J. Stengel, T. Geisler, E. Tertocha, N. Henry.



MILLIKIN RELIGIOUS ASSOCIATION

Seated: E. Fitzpatrick, L. Smith, M. Bales, N. Hoglund.
Standing: J. Barth, J. Manuell, L. Trantina, R. Houser, B. Howenstine, R. Massaro.

Millikin Religious Association

To foster the religious life of the campus and to intensify the faith of the individual—that is the purpose of M.R.A. Guided by a council made up of members from denominational groups, including Jewish and Roman Catholic, and other interested students and faculty members, projects, organized discussions, informal discussions, worship and study, are encouraged in order that the purpose may be reached.

Freshman camp, Brotherhood Week, and Religious Emphasis Week are organized and supported by M.R.A. Membership is an indication of support and the willingness to work in order to achieve the purposes of M.R.A.

International Relations Organization

Seven charter members organized the International Relations Organization in December of 1952. Their purpose in forming the club is to enlighten students as to how people of other nations live and to make students recognize their responsibilities in world affairs. Two good selling points for this club are the fact that membership is not restricted, and there are no dues. The only requisite is that the member be interested in the purpose of the group.

Officers for the first year were: Jim Milligan, president; Dorothy Tunnell, vice-president; Sarah Rich, secretary; and Connie Hudson, treasurer.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS ORGANIZATION

D. Reichman, L. Judd, R. Golub-jatnikov, C. Hudson, C. Poulakidas, J. Milligan.



PI KAPPA DELTA

Row 1: J. Manuell, D. Norris,
I. Geisser, C. Getz, J. Viani,
D. Quevy, B. Marsden.

Row 2: E. Baker, A. Logan, S.
Harris, E. Buese, H. Jackson,
T. Lauer, P. Jackson, Dr. Till-
son.



TAU CHI PI

Tau Chi Pi is an organization of women in the Secretarial Science Department. Problems that arise in the fields of secretarial science, business administration, and business education are discussed. Throughout the year business men and women spoke to the group. The social events were a picnic and a Christmas party. The officers this year were: Mary Ann Stenzel, president; Marilyn Crawford, vice-president; Marilyn Cole, secretary; Margie O'Dell, treasurer.

PI KAPPA DELTA

Pi Kappa Delta, a national forensic fraternity, gives Millikin students a means to demonstrate their ability to give logical debates. Pi Kappa Delta has been active on the Millikin campus, as the members have participated in several debate tournaments during the year. The officers for the year were: Jim Viani, president; Elmer Buese, vice-president; and Carole Getz, secretary.



TAU CHI PI

Row 1: L. Greenberg, M. Stenzel, Miss Sparks, M. Cole.

Row 2: R. Bills, J. Kincaid, D. Hayes, J. Burton, J. Johnson, Z. Zimmerman, L. Traeger, E. Tertocha, C. Kareotes, D. Fisk, B. Thomson.

Row 3: R. McDonald, L. Watson, R. Zust, M. Carter, K. Howden, J. Lytle, C. Rein, M. McMorris, B. Van Gundy, S. Dietschy.



CONANT SOCIETY

Row 1: B. Harrington, M. Bingman, J. Williams, Dr. Maxwell.

Row 2: C. Kareotes, N. Todd, J. File, B. Nelson, P. Miles, D. Glogau, D. Lichtenberger, S. McKinney, B. Burgis, C. Bennett, J. Davis, B. Munson.

CONANT LITERARY SOCIETY

This year the Conant Society, which is a literary society made up of upper-class English majors and minors, sponsored a sale of curios imported from Jerusalem in order to obtain money for their annual writing contest. The awards for this contest were presented at the May dinner. The officers for the year were: Jim Williams, president; Marilyn Bingman, vice-president; Betty Harrington, secretary; and David Gobert, treasurer.

SIGMA ZETA

Sigma Zeta is an honorary organization for students in the science departments—math, physics, chemistry, and biology. Each member is required to have a 3. average in all subjects taken in the sciences and a 2. average in other courses. Prospective members are required to read an acceptable paper on some subject pertaining to science before being accepted for membership. The officers for this year were: Howard Brown, president; James McCray, vice-president; Janet Kirby, secretary.

SIGMA ZETA

Row 1: H. Brown, J. Kirby, J. McCray, T. Bell.

Row 2: W. Smith, Dr. Thomas, Dr. Busch, Mr. Bolen, L. Johnson, I. Palm-Leis.

Row 3: R. Golubjatnikov, Dr. Weatherbee, R. Baldwin, Mr. Armstrong, C. Johner.



WOMEN'S RESIDENCE COUNCIL

Seated: S. Senn, J. Shurtz, L. Johnson, B. Reed, L. Jensen.
Standing: M. Bamberger, L. Leftman, B. Burgis, R. Heider.



Future Teachers of America

Future Teachers of America is organized and designed to be an aid and a guide to students who plan to become teachers. This year leaders in the educational field have spoken on such topics as discipline and use of audio-visual aids in the classroom. Each member of F.T.A. automatically becomes a member of the National Education Association and Illinois Education Association, and receives his magazine monthly. Officers for the year were Patricia Rannebarger, president; Mary Ann Stenzel, vice-president; Shirley Branom, secretary; and LouAnn Moeller, treasurer. Dr. Victor F. Dawald served as faculty adviser.

Women's Residence Association Council

The active governing body for the three women's dormitories is the Women's Residence Hall Council. Its members, representatives from each of the halls, have charge of both the legislation and administration of the dormitories.

The organization is active in orientation activities and also sponsors hall parties. Lucy Johnson was president, assisted by Virginia Huesmann, vice-president; Carole Getz, secretary; and Joanne Shurts, treasurer. Mrs. Ruth Walker and Dean Falvey act as sponsors.



FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

Row 1: M. Hubbell, J. Brown, E. Munson, J. Stublefield, J. Young, J. Collins, C. Bruns, A. Turner, R. Allen, J. Davis, J. Bence, J. Keating, S. McCottery.

Row 2: M. Johnstone, L. Brown, J. Gilman, B. Gregory, S. Joffray, P. Eaton, M. Hammill, S. McFadden, V. Persson, L. Vasiloff, M. Griffin, M. Robinson, J. Stengel.

Row 3: O. McEfee, M. Stenzel, M. Bingham, P. Rannebarger, D. Stephenson, S. Poppleton, J. Stone, V. Megarden, R. Bugg, D. Champion, A. Welshans, S. Baker.



HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

Row 1: C. Engelking, P. Leubbers, P. Bowers, L. Matsumoto.

Row 2: C. Stegenga, N. Janes, B. Gregory, Miss Saar, J. Bence, D. Eickhoff, V. Borse.

Row 3: D. Reichman, I. Gause, D. Hiser, L. Major, B. Long, J. Helgen, E. Lederbrand, R. Smith, P. Rannebarger, M. Griffin.

Row 4: M. Johnstone, M. Jeffries, D. Stephenson, M. Blasingame, G. Dingman, S. Sampson, M. Turner, N. Redifer.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

This year our Home Economics Club program was planned in accordance with the theme "New Horizons in Home Economics." Additional projects included the annual Christmas party for the girls from the Welfare Home, Christmas card sales, and sale of homemade cookies. The club was honored to serve as sponsor of the Illinois Home Economics Association of College Club, for 1952, with Dr. Viola Bell acting as State Sponsor, and Dorothy Eickhoff serving as State President. Officers of the local club were: president, Barbara Gregory; vice-president, Joan Bence; secretary, Norma Janes; treasurer, Carlene Stegenga; social chairman, Verne Borse; adviser, Miss Vera Saar.

ART CLUB

The Art Club's goal is to maintain the highest standards of our modern day art, and to give a better appreciation of art for all people.

This year the club sponsored exhibits of student and professional art. Every spring the Art Club sponsors a contest for students; and the club presents the awards at Millikin's Honor Day.

The officers were: Anice Duncan, president; Bill Heyduck, vice-president; and Lillian Bremer, secretary and treasurer.

ART CLUB

Seated: R. Bremer, S. Watts, L. Bremer, P. Jones, L. Jensen, D. Fisher, R. Graglia, S. Spear, J. Bence.

Standing: Mr. Squiers, B. Heyduck, D. Ferry, J. Strom, A. Duncan.



FRENCH CLUB

Row 1: L. Judd, J. Toubbeh, Miss Blackburn, A. Hoogestraat.

Row 2: R. Rambo, P. Jones, P. Kerns, B. Blackburn, M. Stenzel, C. Kareotes.

Row 3: B. Long, G. Dingman, J. Manuell, R. Dechert, J. Balloew.



SPANISH CLUB

The Spanish Club, known as La Sociedad Espanola, has for years centered its activities around the varied aspects of Spanish life—the language, folklore, music, art, and literature. Through direct contact with these things, one gets a deeper concept of Spanish life as it really is. The officers this year were: Betty Nelson, president; Ellen DeGroot, vice-president; John Davidson, secretary; Bill Tankersley, treasurer.

FRENCH CLUB

Le Cercle Francais is open to all students who have had one year of college French, and meetings are held once a month.

The purpose of the club is to acquaint its members with the culture of the French people and to give its members an opportunity to use the spoken language.

Officers for this year were: Kathleen McCarthy, president; Becky Blackburn, first vice-president; Dorothy Pride, second vice-president; Betty Harrington, secretary; and Jamil Toubbeh, treasurer.



SPANISH CLUB

Row 1: Dr. Cobb, E. DeGroot, B. Nelson, B. Tankersley, J. Davidson.

Row 2: M. Bingman, M. Cole, J. Thomas, B. Howenstine, C. Rude.



GERMAN CLUB

Row 1: Dr. Ross, C. Getz, R. Golubjatnikov, J. Breckenridge, J. Strom.
 Row 2: H. Vail, J. Barth, J. Mohringer, L. Weisbecker, C. Forth, W. Yarema, J. McCray.
 Row 3: C. Johnner, J. Schnittker, C. Stats, H. Brown.

GERMAN CLUB

Der Deutsche Verein is composed of students of the intermediate and advanced German classes who are interested in learning more about the customs, language, and culture of the German speaking nations.

This year the traditional International Night turned into an International Weekend and brought the activities of the club to a climax. The officers for this year were: Rjurik Golubjatnikov, president; Janet Breckenridge, first vice-president; Jenilee Strom, second vice-president; Carole Getz, secretary; John Schnittker, treasurer. The adviser of the club is Miss Flora Ross.

DRILL TEAM

The girl's drill team, consisting of about twenty-four girls, was organized in the fall of 1952 by Elton Burgstahler to further school spirit in this fiftieth year anniversary. The girls themselves made their blue and white uniforms. During the half-times of football games, the girls executed intricate formations on the football field. This added especially to the colorful festivities of Homecoming.

DRILL TEAM

Row 1: D. Fisher, J. Young, M. Potts, M. Kostas.
 Row 2: G. Hodge, R. Sammons, D. Fisk, B. Burgis.
 Row 3: P. Jones, M. Parker, C. Johnson, M. Keeler.
 Row 4: S. Sweet, B. Thompson, E. Andree, N. Fisher.
 Row 5: R. Moeller, L. Wolf, E. Leach, P. Miles.



UNIVERSITY CHOIR

The Millikin University Choir has completed another successful year of entertaining performances. Although the choir practices only twice a week, they present only the highest type of choral music, under the direction of Mr. Howard Akers.

Possibly their most outstanding achievement of the year was a tour to Chicago. During this tour, the choir gave three concerts daily for a week in schools, churches, and clubs throughout the Chicago area.

The choir has been active in spreading the fame of Millikin University by going on several other road trips. They have sung in surrounding towns, and they have been graciously received wherever they appeared.

The chorus and the choir combined forces at Christmas time to present Handel's "Messiah". On March 22, the choir gave a concert in Albert Taylor Hall, which, as many others, was recorded for radio use.



Mr. Snyder, Joy Watkins, Louise Krintz





ORCHESTRA

Under the inspiration and direction of Mr. Elton E. Burgstahler, the Millikin-Civic Orchestra had another successful year. The orchestra is composed of young artists from the School of Music and local musicians who have so faithfully given their time and their talents.

On December 16, the orchestra presented to Decatur another cultural concert. The program, which was held at the Masonic Temple, featured a piano solo by Miss Louise A. Krintz. The selection, "Piano Concerto in D Minor", was written by Mr. Burgstahler and is perhaps the most prodigious of his works.

In Albert Taylor Hall on April 24, the orchestra presented to the faculty and the student body a delightful program. This concert featured a piano solo by Marilyn Meyers McCann.

Our orchestra has served Millikin by contributing greatly to its fiftieth anniversary.

Mr. Elton Burgstahler,
Director





Left to right: L. Watson, C. Getz, A. Sickman, C. Cain.

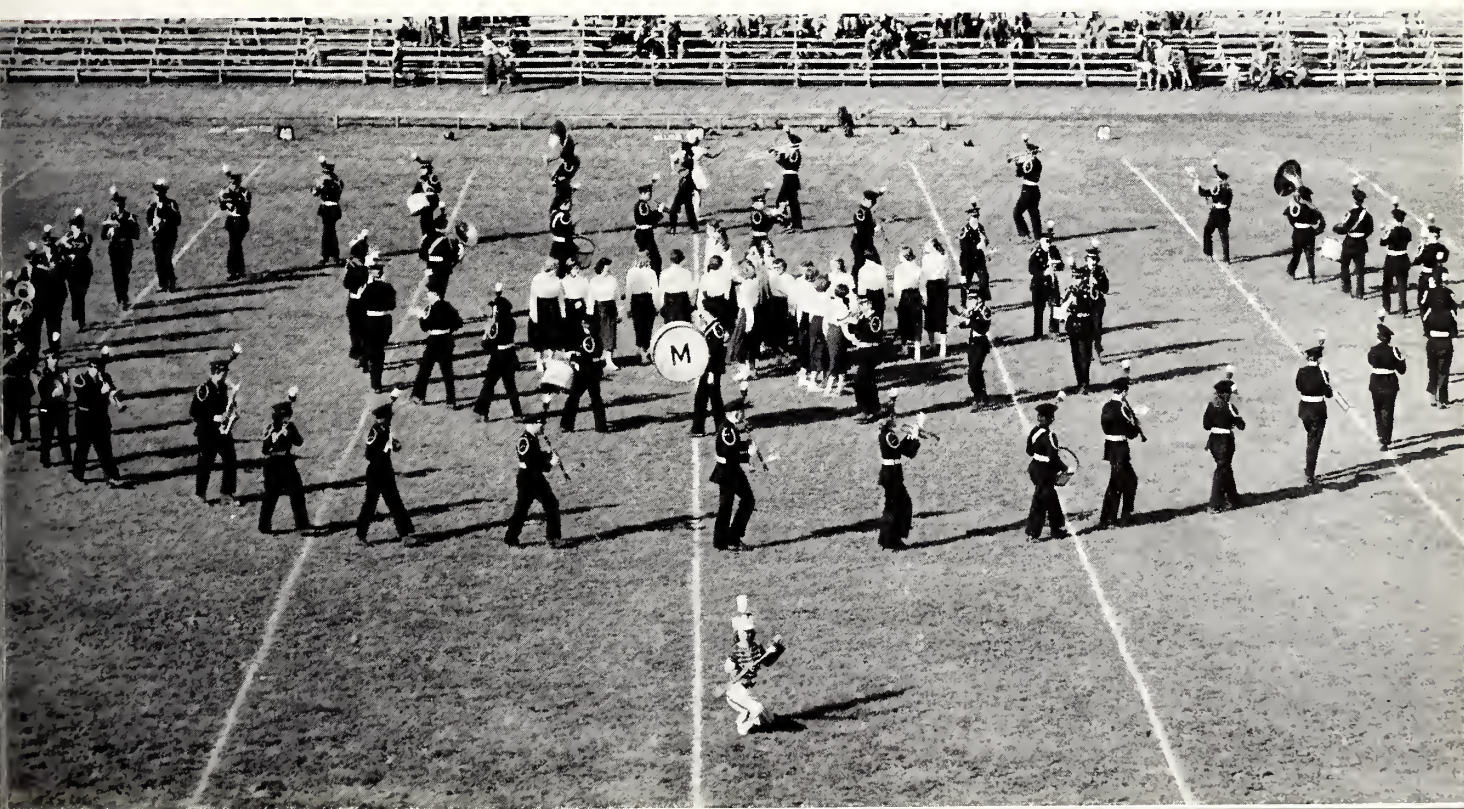
Majorettes

For the second year, three majorettes were included in the line-up of the band. These talented lasses added a great amount of color and entertainment to the half-time festivities in both the football and basketball seasons. They spent many hours practising, besides leading parades and performing for social clubs, civic clubs, and schools. They, too, did their part in making Millikin's fiftieth year its greatest year.

The Millikin Band, directed by Mr. Elton E. Burgstahler, gave our school spirit just the lift it needed this year by playing for all of the home football games and for the Millikin-Wesleyan game at Bloomington. In the football season the band displayed excellent skill in formation marching during the half-time.

Among the many performances this year, the band gave a school concert in Albert Taylor Hall and played at the Commencement exercises. In addition to this busy schedule, the band gave a concert at Blue Mound and made a short concert tour to surrounding high schools. The band also made several records for radio release, and to the members of that band we say, "We've enjoyed the result of your hard work."

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DECATURIAN CO-EDITORS

Emma Lou Fitzpatrick
and Marilyn Griffin



BUSINESS MANAGER

Jack Shepherd



After a slow start due to a small staff, Co-editors Emma Lou FitzPatrick and Marilyn Griffin, serving their first term as the double head of Millikin's fourth estate got the local rag on its way.

Highlight of the first semester's production was the twelve-page Homecoming issue—result of an all-out effort by the whole staff. The edition was in honor of Millikin's Semi-Centennial and based on that theme.

The second semester began with the same duo wielding the blue pencil, but complications of student teaching imposed a special burden on staff, engravers, and printers. Co-operation reached an all-time and most satisfy-



STAFF

Left to right:

Leaning on desk: M. Carter, S. Dietschy, G. Baker, J. Morris, M. Robinson, J. Milligan.

Standing: L. Smith, A. Welshans, J. Fitzgerald, L. Moeller, R. Masaro, D. Abborino.

ing high, and the weekly edition appeared as usual. Major work of the second semester was the traditional April Fool issue with all the low-down on the top news of the day.

Journalism instructor and long-suffering and patient adviser to the Dec throughout the year was Buryl F. Engleman. Aiding the co-editors were sports editor, Shelly Kaplan, and society editor, Barbara Munson. And all the time, basic necessities were cared for, and the paper continued to be published through the efforts of Business Manager Jack Shepherd.



EDITORS

B. Munson, Music

E. Taney, Society



SPORTS STAFF

Left to right: D. Dechert, S. Kaplan, J. Dagon.

A black and white photograph showing a man and a woman seated at a wooden desk, both engaged in writing letters. The man, on the left, is seen from the back, wearing a dark suit jacket. The woman, on the right, is also seen from the back, wearing a dark long-sleeved top and a patterned skirt. They are both holding pens and writing on sheets of paper. On the desk, there are several bottles, including a large one on the left and a smaller one on the right, and some papers. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

A black and white photograph of two women. The woman on the left is seated, wearing a dark, long-sleeved sweater with a small brooch on the left chest and a necklace with a small pendant. She has dark, wavy hair and is smiling. The woman on the right is standing, wearing a dark, textured jacket over a light-colored blouse. She has light-colored, wavy hair and is also smiling. Both women are holding books or papers. The background is dark and indistinct.

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The editors of the Fiftieth-Anniversary Year-book wish to give recognition to the staff for their unexcelled cooperation and perseverance to make this issue a reality. We wish to express our sincere appreciation to Mr. Wayne Gill and Dr. Neal Doubleday for their guidance and support.

To the staff, our annual represents many hours of concentrated effort and pleasurable experiences. To the students, it is our hope that our annual will accurately represent Millikin's Golden Anniversary.

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James Viani



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Athletics





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Left to right: S. Kaplan, Coach Allan, Coach Appleby, R. Rausch.



COACH RALPH ALLAN
Director of Athletics

COACHING STAFF

Ralph Allan, our athletics director and coach of basketball, track, tennis, and golf, has had another successful year. He led the basketball team to a tie for second place in the C.C.I. His basketball team had an overall season's record of 15 wins and 8 losses against bitter opposition. Track, tennis, and golf proved to be a successful year for Millikin's Half-Century Anniversary.

COACHING STAFF

Coach Bob Appleby, in his second year at Millikin, brought a co-championship in football to our school. The baseball team, also under his capable leadership, had a good season.

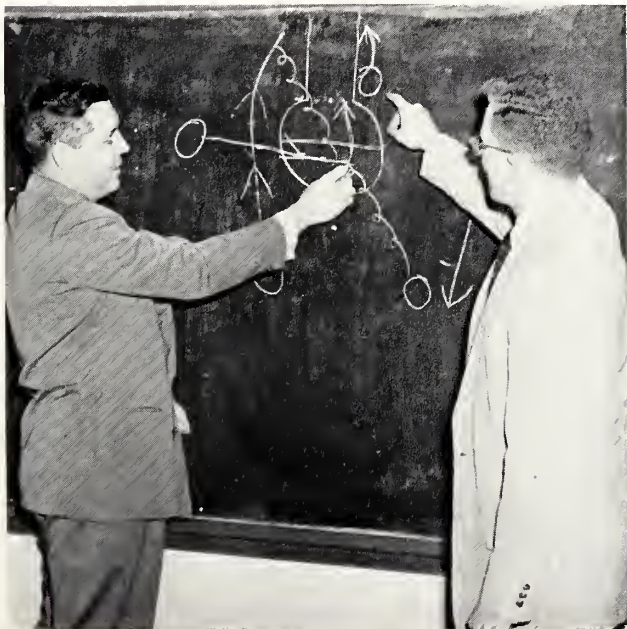
Lerton Krushas and Ralph Rausch proved to be valuable aids as assistant football coaches, with Edgar Wirth showing his skill as an assistant baseball coach and Sheldon Kaplan helping to add victories to the basketball schedule.



LERTON KRUSHAS



COACH APPLEBY, R. RAUSCH



COACH ALLAN,
S. KAPLAN



Row 1: R. Rausch, W. Lewis, J. Lippold, F. Chizevsky, W. Savage, L. Epperson, R. Schaub, T. Bergeson, D. Sessler, W. Knutson, R. O'Brien, J. Fitzgerald.
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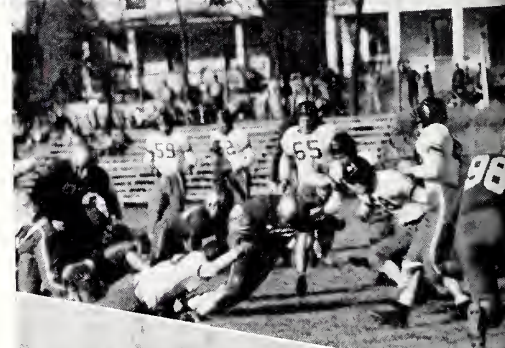
FOOTBALL VARSITY SQUAD

Coach Bob Appleby, in his second year as football mentor, led the Big Blue to tie for the C.C.I. championship. Employing the versatile "split T" formation, the Blue romped over all its C.C.I. competition, save Lake Forest, whom they battled to a 13-13 draw for the co-championship.

Millikin opened the season at Charleston when they encountered the Panthers of Eastern. Although the Blue outrushed and out-passed them, Eastern managed to come out on the long end of a 28-19 score, due to three perfectly executed long plays and one sustained drive.

After a week in which Coach Appleby tried to tighten his defense, the Blue journeyed to Fayette, Iowa, to challenge Upper Iowa University. Again the Blue's offense outgained their opponents, and the defensive platoon held the Upper Iowa attack in check, except for three plays, on each of which the Peacocks scored. Millikin returned 19-6 losers.

Next the Blue played host to Elmhurst for their first home game. They treated the fans from Millikin to a rousing scrimmage from which they emerged 25-7 winners. This was the beginning of their string of conference victories.





The following week saw the M.U. campus in preparation for the Homecoming game with Illinois College. While the organizations prepared to welcome alumni, the Blue prepared to "welcome" the Blueboys. The Big Blue turned the game into a rout, winning 11-0.

Millikin then journeyed to Bloomington for a Friday night encounter with Illinois Wesleyan. The light shone brightly for the Blue as they ran and passed their way to a 35-7 victory. This left the Blue tied for first place with Lake Forest.



FOOTBALL

Extra drills and extra kneebends were the schedule for the week's practices for the showdown with Lake Forest. At the outset of the game it seemed as if the Foresters' powerhouse was being driven into submission by Millikin. Half-time found the Blue ahead 14-0, but in the third quarter Lake Forest scored on a long run and kicked the extra point. In the final quarter the Blue began to feel the absence of injured keymen, but still maintained their 14-7 lead until, with barely a few minutes left to play, the Foresters completed a desperation pass that shattered Millikin's hopes for an undisputed title. The extra point was good as well, and the game for the championship ended in a draw.

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The final football game of the season for the Big Blue will take place on the MU field tomorrow afternoon when a Southern team, the Governors, Millikin Peay, comes calling for the second time.

A blue-clad Millikin team, even-Stephen with 3 wins, 3 losses and 3 ties, will take on the Governors in the '52 grid record either above or below the .500 mark. The team from Chicago started the season with a win and a tie.

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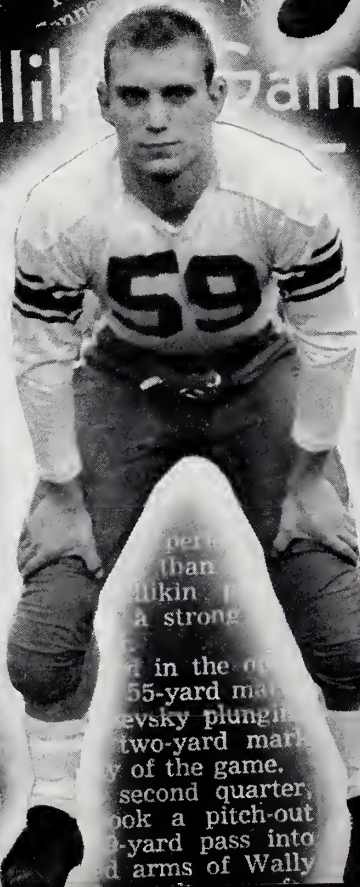
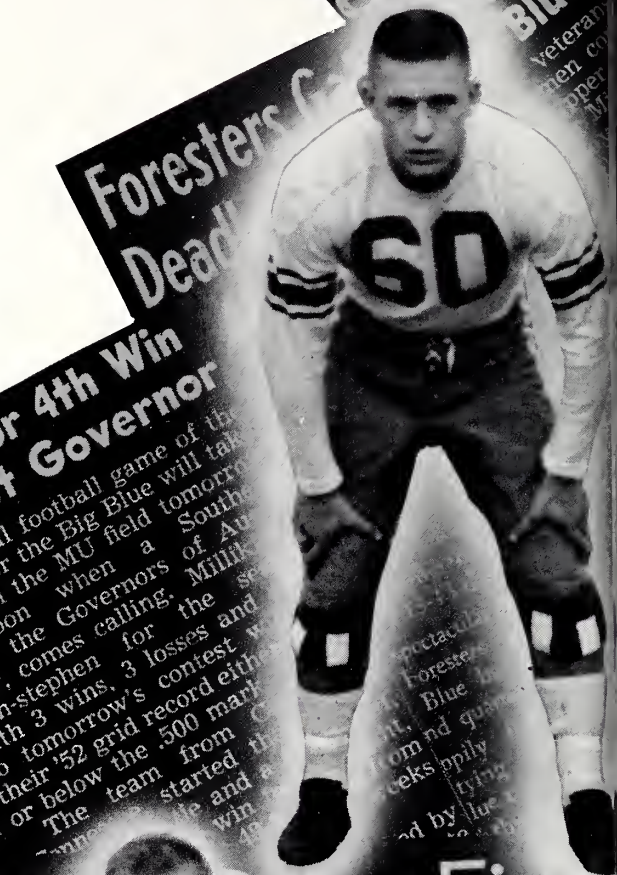
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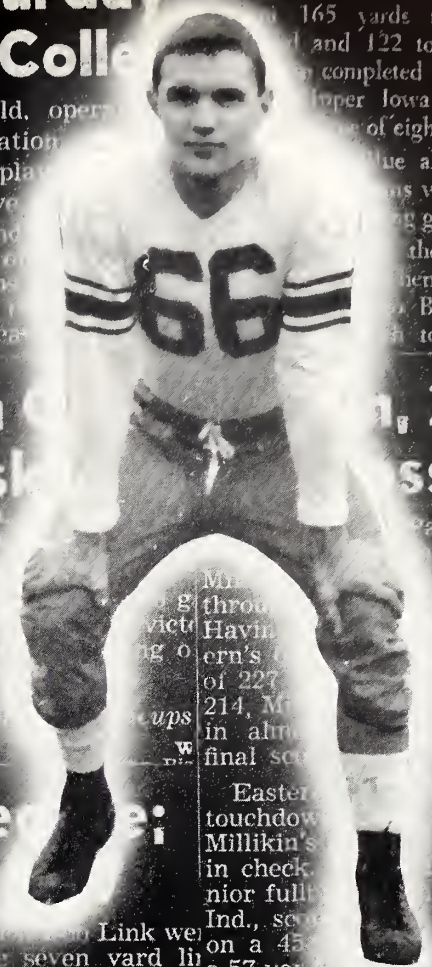
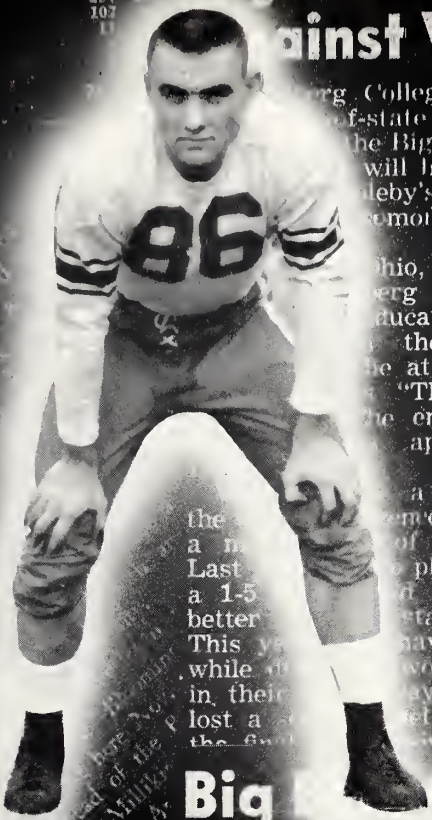
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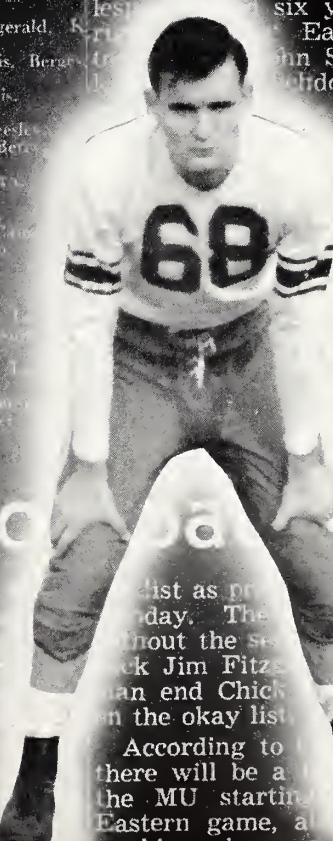
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FOOTBALL

Next, the fighting Lutherans from Wittenberg College in Ohio came to test the Blue. The overconfidence of the Blue paved the way to a 26-21 victory for the visitors.

In the final episode of the '52 season, the Blue came up against a superior team from the deep South. The highly manned Governors from Austin Peay in Tennessee proved too much for the depleted Millikin ranks by winning 40-7.

Roy Schaub, Jack Lippold, Frank Chizevsky, Tom Innis, and Lou Epperson were honored on the all-conference team, and led the Blue to their best season since the war.

Blue Offense Rolls in 2nd with Quartet

**Blue Registers
One Touchdown
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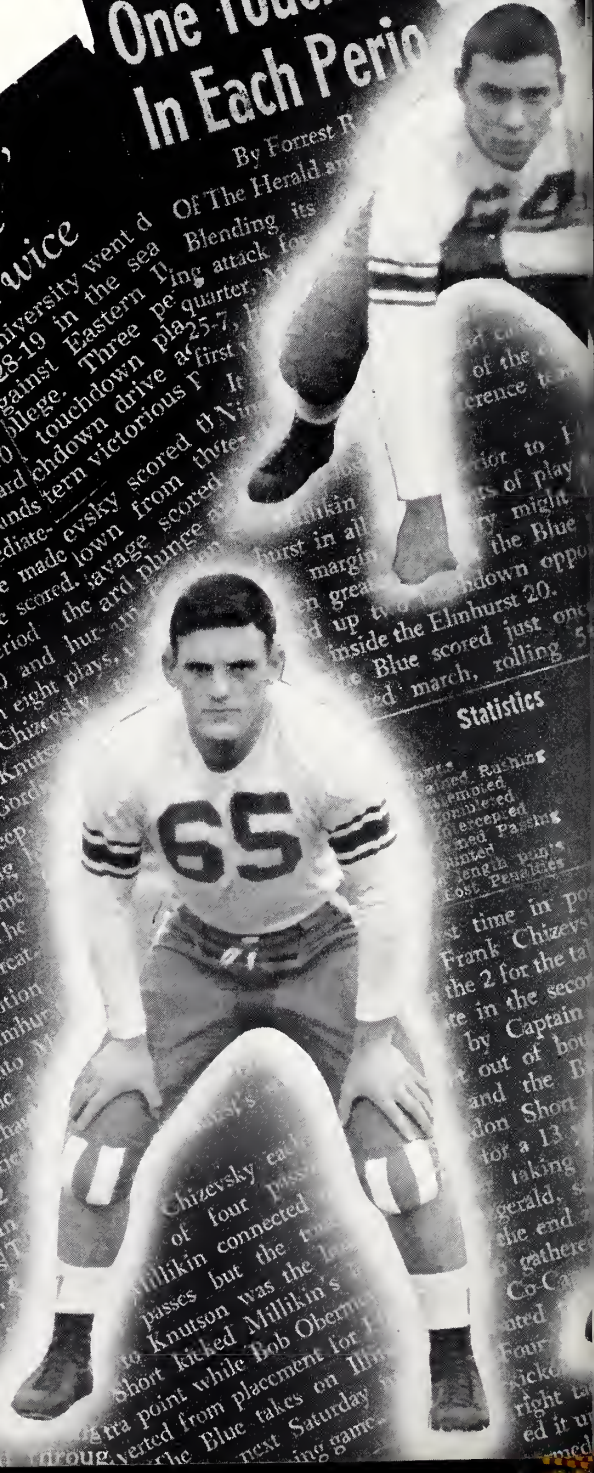
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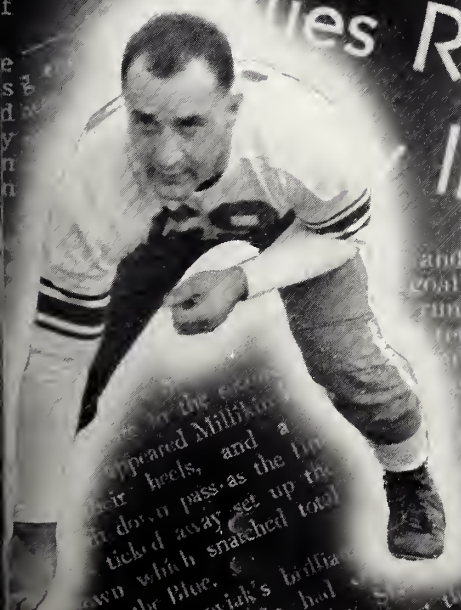
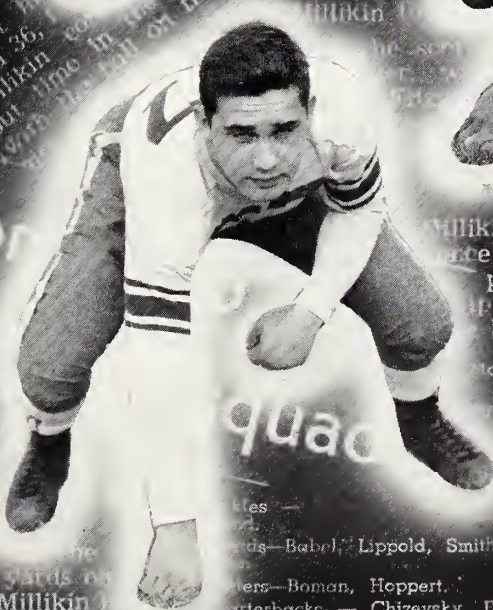
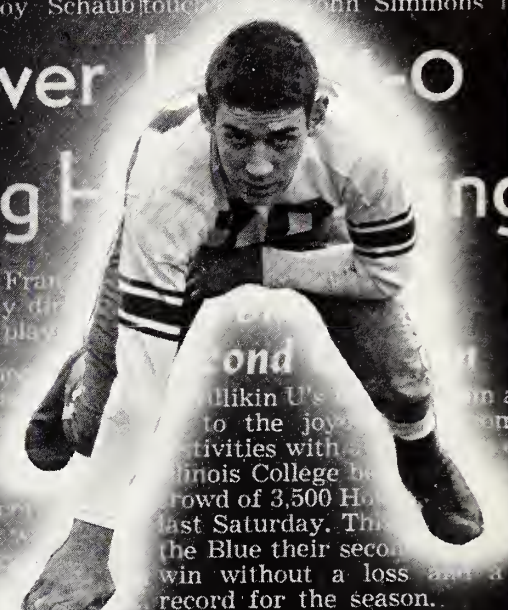
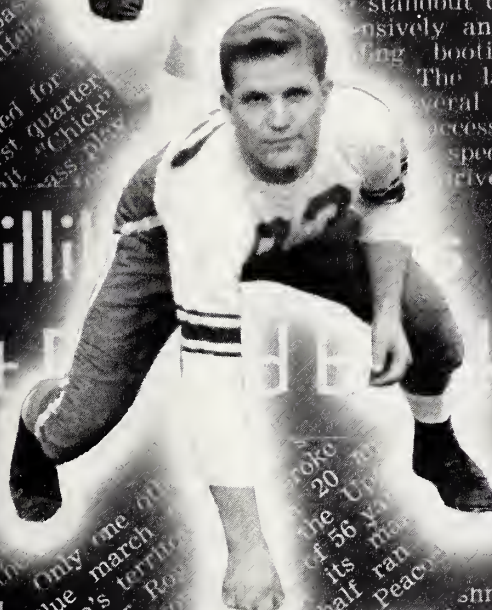
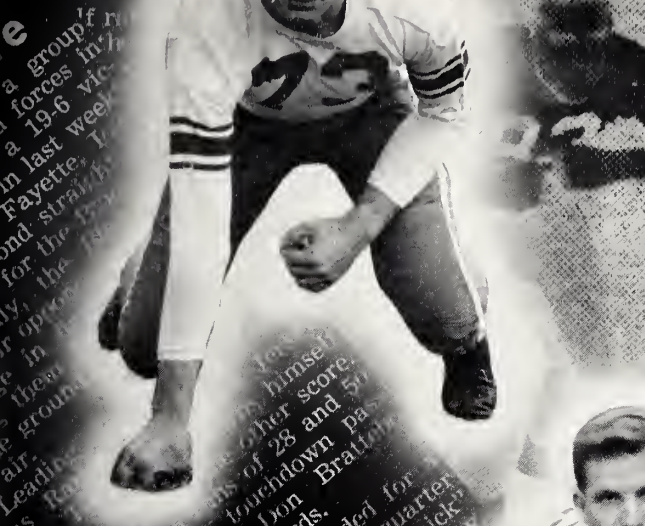
Chizevsky Stars in Loss

Outgain E. I.; Bill Savage Tallies Twice

Millikin University went in defeat 28-19 in the opener against Eastern State College. Three executed touchdown plays, one touchdown drive and for Eastern victorious play followed each touchdown extra point.

Millikin's quarterback Chizevsky proved himself a standout of the season,ensively and deftly booting the latter several other Millikin minutes successfully tried punt speed of Bill Savage right drive of Roy Schaub

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...Boman, Hoppert.
...Chizevsky, Fitzgerald,
...Savage, Short, Innis, Berge
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Millikin	6	7	6	6-25
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Millikin scoring—Touchdowns: Chizevsky, Knutson, Schaub, Savage. Conversion: Short (placement).

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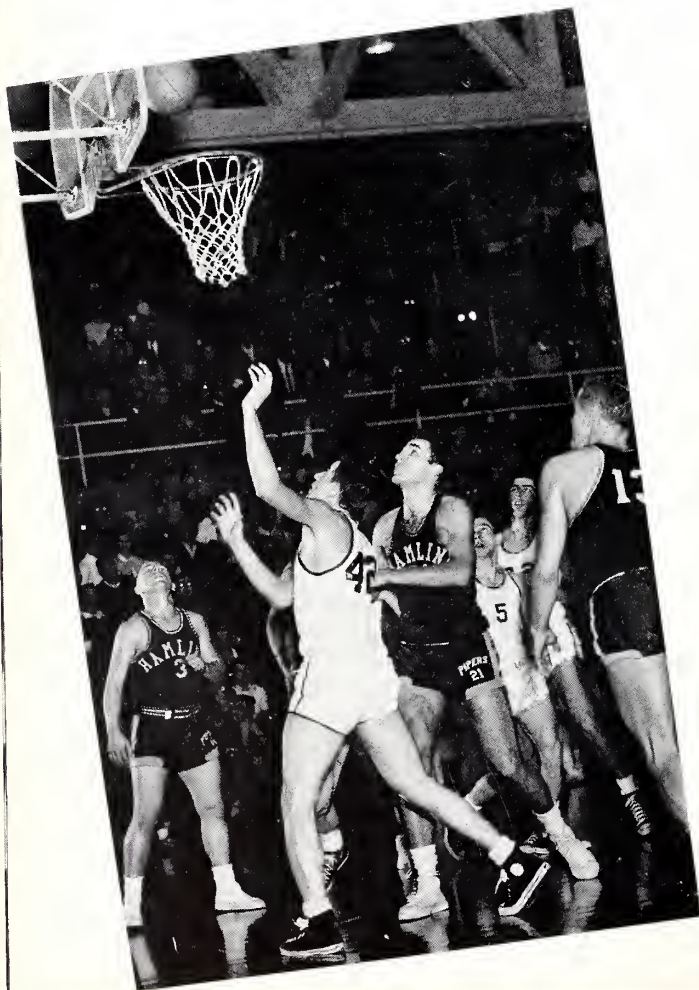
BASKETBALL

In the 1952-53 cage opener, Coach Ralph Allan's Big Blue was subdued by a tall sharp-shooting Hamline five. The Big Blue bounced back with a C.C.I. victory over Elmhurst, followed by the conquest of Illinois Normal and Western State.

In the Christmas Holiday tournament at Kansas City, Southwest Texas squeezed out a one-point, 83-82, victory over the Millikin cagers, but the Big Blue returned the next day to trounce Rockhurst 96-76. To complete the holiday schedule, the Blue copped two victories at Flora over S.I.U. and Illinois Normal. The Big Blue defeated Illinois Normal by a score of 102-73. Co-captain Bob Kowa hit his season's high of 42 points.

When classes once again resumed, the Millikin hardwooders continued their winning ways by defeating Washington University twice, and winning over Lake Forest. Western upset the Big Blue at Macomb, following our exam period. At this time Senior Harry Dubnick stepped into the line-up as a regular, and he developed into a tremendous rebounder and a timely scorer.

One of the most exciting and hotly contested games of the season saw Millikin skin the Panthers from Charleston, 99-92. They again topped the century mark by turning back the Blue-Boys from Illinois College, 107-62, in their typical fast break fashion.





Row 1: C. Minick, J. Luttrell, J. Schneider, B. Mueller, J. Dettro, D. Moran, B. Maddux.

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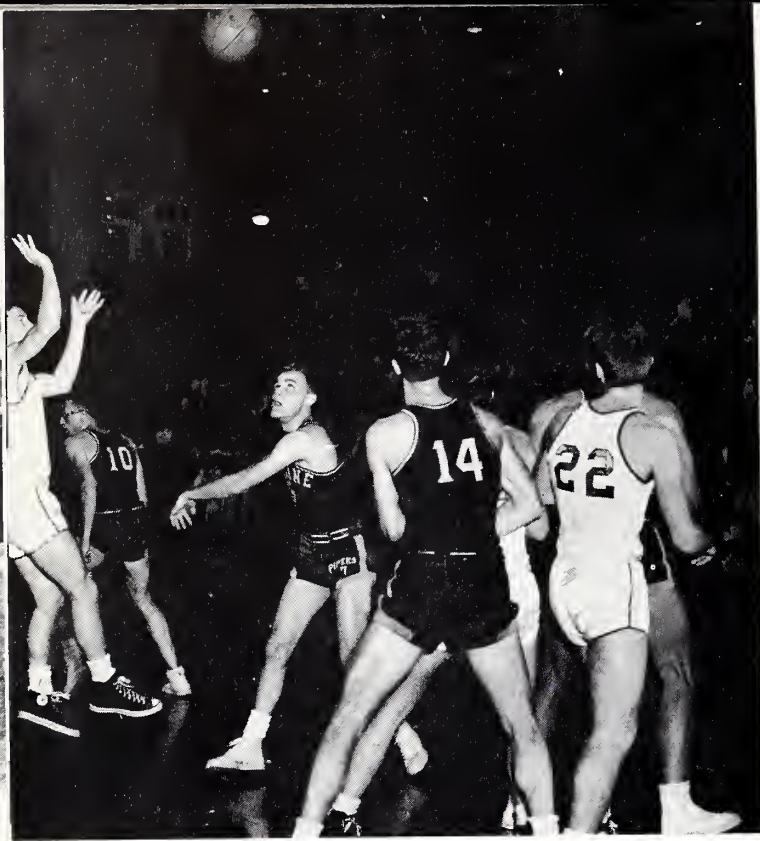
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Millikin dropped its first C.C.I. game to Wesleyan's Titans, at Bloomington. Eastern was next to get revenge on the Blue, 77-65. The Millikin cagers took two more conference victories before traveling north to be defeated by a powerful Wheaton quintet.

Once again Millikin topped the 100 mark in routing North Central's one man show, 107-82. At this game Co-captain John Luttrell was honored by his home town fans. He rose to the occasion by scoring 26 points. S.I.U. got their revenge by defeating the Big Blue at Carbondale.

The season was almost over now, but what about that trip to the District at Champaign? Our chances hung on the final game of the season with Wesleyan at Kintner gym. None





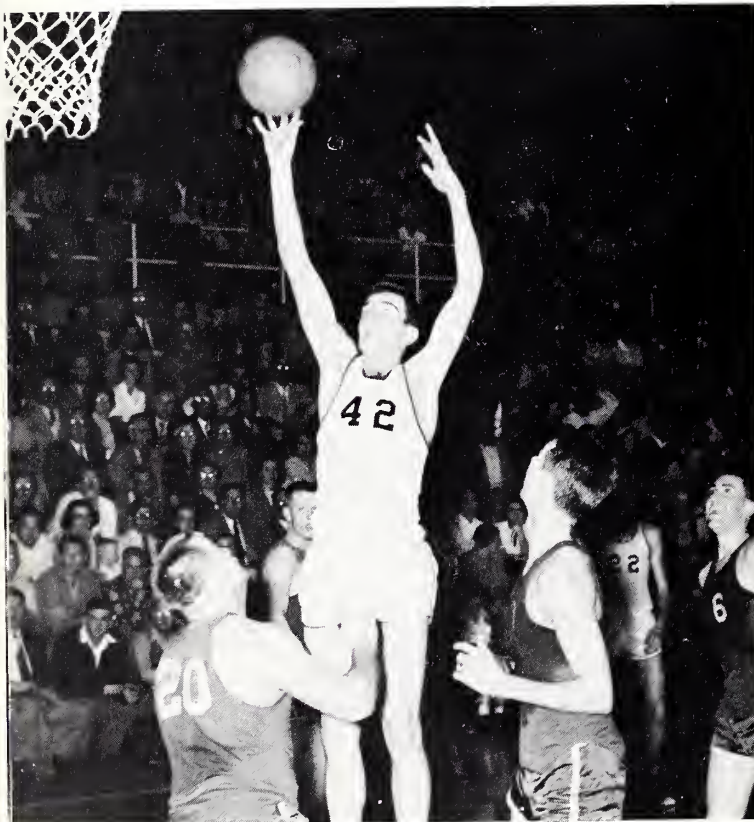
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of us will ever forget that game in which the Blue downed the Titans, 74-73, on two charity tosses by Bob Kowa with seconds remaining. For the third straight year Allan took the Blue to Champaign, only this time it was Eastern who closed our season.

When all was said and done the Big Blue had a 15-8 season record with a 7-2, second place, conference record. Co-captains Kowa and Luttrell again received all-conference honors, and next year's captain, Buddy Mueller, was chosen for the second team.

Kowa ended the season with a 26.3 average, placing him tenth in the nation's small colleges. Kowa and Luttrell were the second and third men to reach the select thousand group, in the history of Millikin.

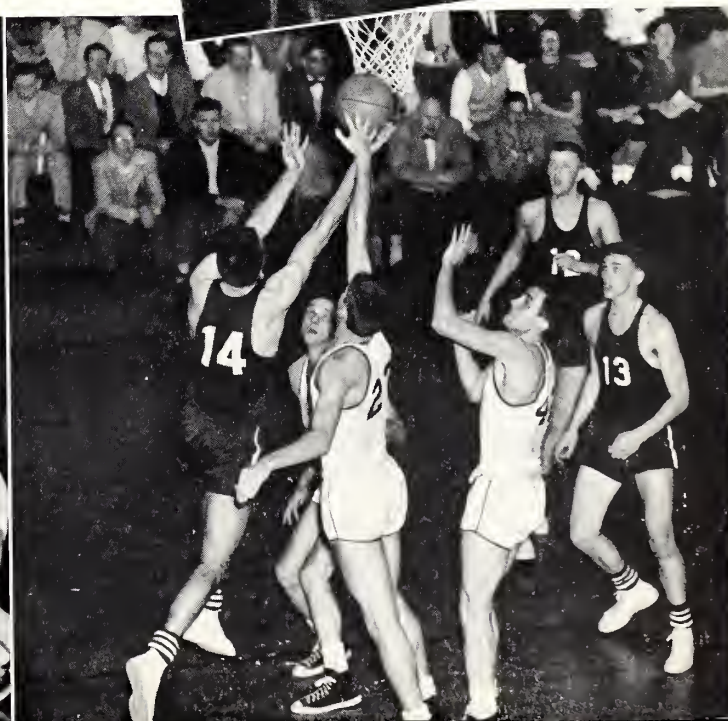
Ralph Allan has done another outstanding job in his sixth year as head coach. His fire





BASKETBALL

wagon style of round-ball has paid large dividends both in victories and spectator approval. Next year he will have five lettermen to work with, including, Senior Buddy Mueller, Juniors Mel Sheets, Bud Dalton, and Jack Detro, and this year's outstanding rookie, Don McCann.



BASKETBALL

Although Millikin's basketball team did not go to Kansas City this year, the students and the townspeople displayed their interest and enthusiasm by making it almost impossible to find seats or parking places for the late-comers. The team is only a small part, but needless to say an important part, of a basketball game. The majorettes and the cheerleaders proved to be just the spark which brought the Big Blue nearer to their goal. Enough can not be said about Mr. Burgstahler's aggregation; they showed unfailing loyalty to Millikin, winning or losing. With these factors, it is little wonder that Millikin has a winning team.



Augustana Is 100-78 Victim

Millikin D. III. College Tues.

Millikin to Elmhurst Conference Schedule

The Millikin basketball team will meet their opponent Tuesday night when the Redbirds of Illinois meet in a preliminary game at Kinlner Gym. As an added feature, the evening's entertainment will serve squads of both teams. The game will start at 6:30. Normal, victor in the test this season against U. of Spokane, Wash., will be guarded by guard Bill Sarver, a year regular. Against the zaga Bulldogs, Sarver will score 27 points as the Redbirds out a 67-65 win. Except for Sarver, Coach Pim Goff's squad lacks in experience.

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Big Blue Invades Theater For Crucial Contest

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Leading the Crusade attack are Norm Pott, Dick Helm and Captain Dick Gross. Pott, a 6' All-CCI center from Summit, J. Helm, a speedy guard from Elmhurst, has a 16.0 average. Gross, a former Chicago city star has a 14.5 average and is a standout on defense.

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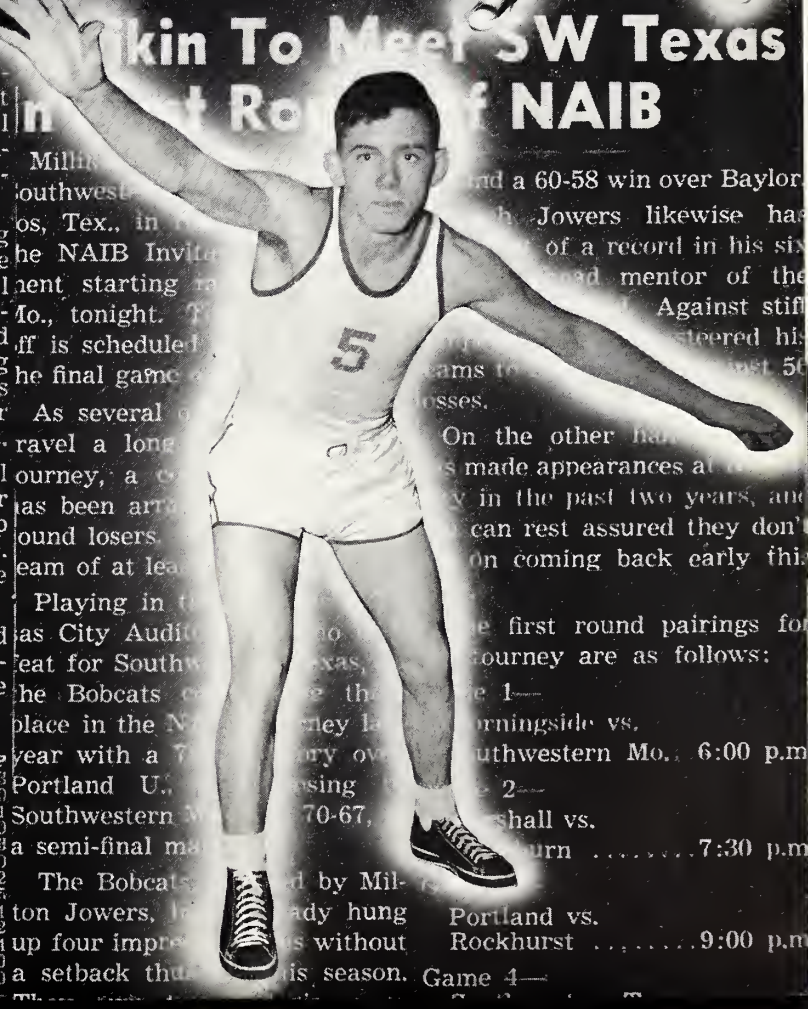
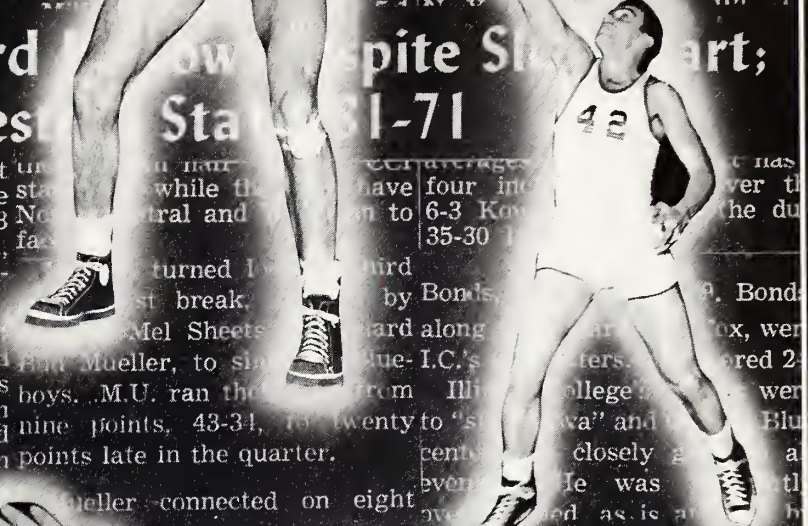
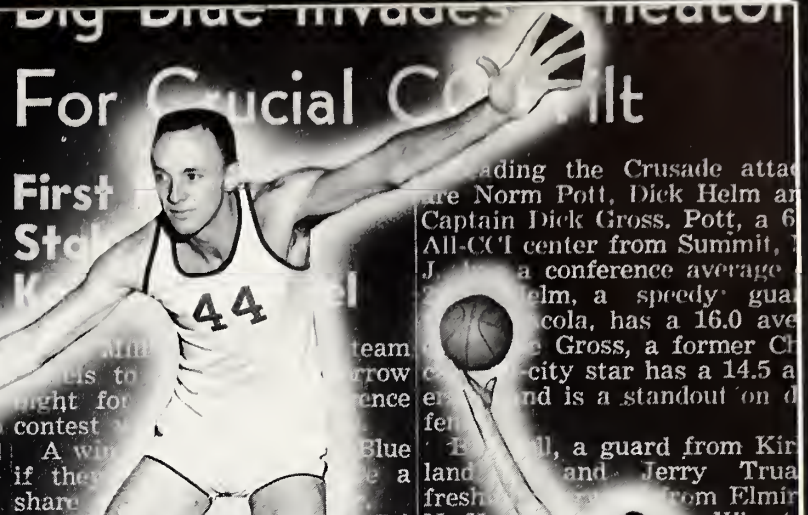
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Row 2: C. Hinton, J. Dooley, B. Taylor, R. Bowman, D. Dechert, G. Cook, T. Lambert, D. Harrell.

Row 3: R. Reed, C. Conrady, D. Garnett, D. G. Miller, R. Graglia, C. Mueller.

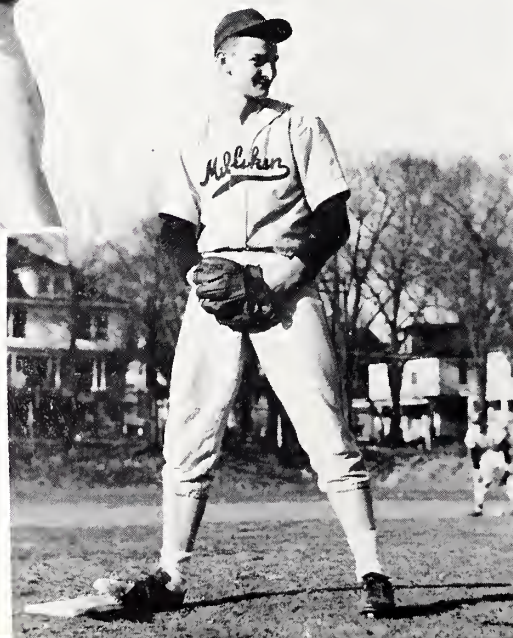


RAY GRAGLIA

BASEBALL

CHARLES CONRADY

DUANE POTTER



Fine weather greeted a large turnout of candidates for the Big Blue baseball team this year. Coach Bob Appleby found plenty of depth in every position except the pitching staff, but he looked for heavy hitting to cover this deficiency.

The team went south to Tennessee for its Easter training tour and encountered some very tough competition. They returned home to face their C.C.I. opponents.

Assistant Coach Edgar Wirth pushed the pitchers through strenuous exercises to get the staff into shape for the season. Dennis Harold, Cletus Hinton, and Jay Dooley proved themselves capable of starting as-

D. G. MILLER



DUANE POTTER



DON GARNETT

JACK SEMLER



DICK DECHERT



BERNIE TAYLOR



PAUL STOWELL



MEL SHEETS



CARL HANSER
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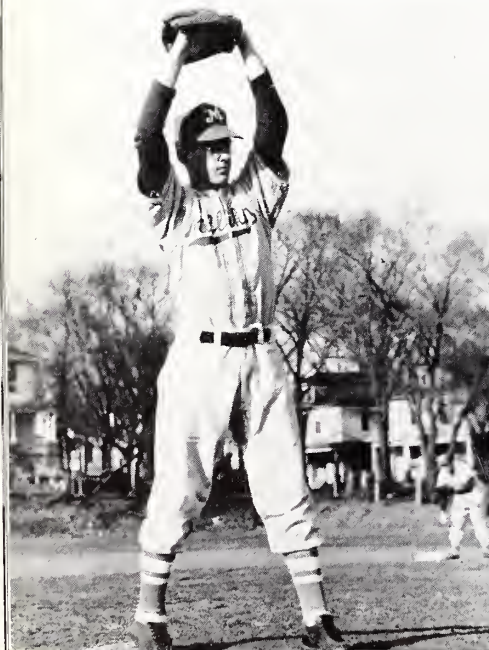
The other half of the battery unit, the catchers, was filled by Bill Maddux and Paul Stowell.

The infield was manned by Bob Kuhn at first base, Dick Dechert at second, Jack Semler

J. DOOLEY

CHARLES MUELLER

DENNIS HARRELL





CLETE HINTON



ROY SCHAUB



JACK SEMLER

at third, and Duane Potter at shortstop.

Captain Roy Schaub, last season's leading hitter, led the "fly chasers" in their duties. Schaub, playing right field, shared honors with Mel Sheets, right fielder, and Gene Cook, left fielder.

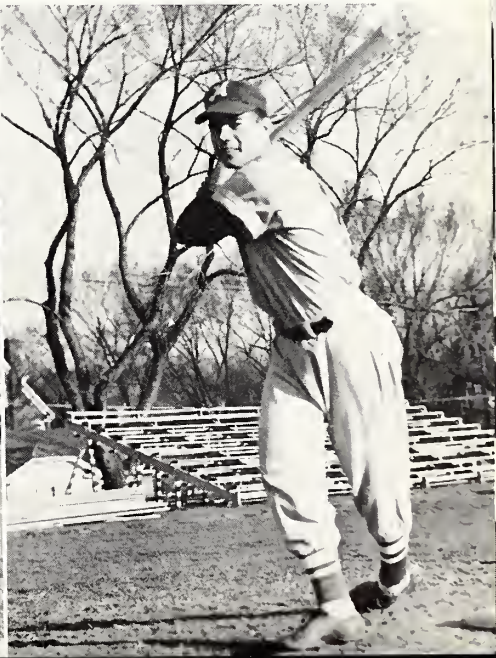


TOM LAMBERT
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TOM LAMBERT

BILL MADDUX

BOB KUHN





Row 1: D. McBride, H. Dubinick, D. Pogue, D. Wright, B. Mills, S. Kaplan, G. Dalton, G. Short, J. Luttrell, J. Ballowe.

Row 2: D. Elam, D. Warford, H. Frost, T. Partridge, C. May, D. Kramer, Coach Allan, D. Sessler, D. Quisenberry, C. McAnally, H. Kelley, G. Babel, R. Abborino, R. Cram.

TRACK



HAROLD FROST

Coach Ralph Allan was looking optimistically toward the start of the 1953 cinder sport. He expected to produce one of Millikin's greatest track teams, and perhaps cop the Conference meet for the first time. This feat would only be fitting for Millikin's 50th year celebration.

Captain John Luttrell led the team into its tough schedule and began shooting to break his previous records in the half-mile, mile, and two-mile. Pre-season work-outs showed that John would be breaking those records. Our congratulations to the greatest distance runner in Millikin's history, who ended his career for Millikin this spring.

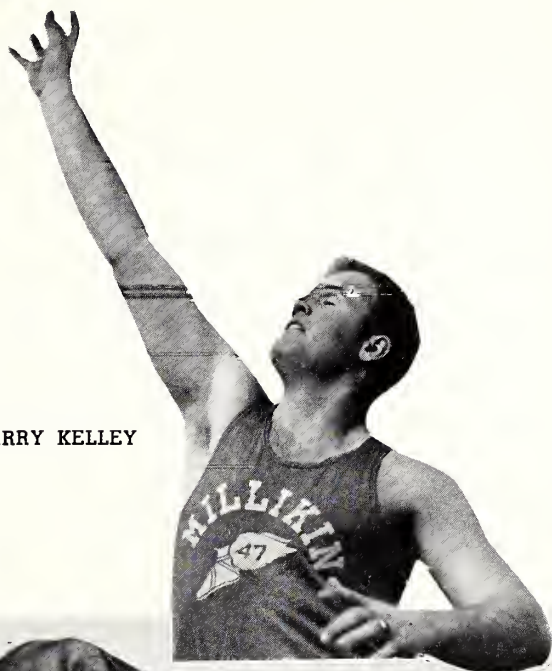
Among the veteran harriers were Don Pogue and Harry Dubinick. Their hurdling brought many points. Added strength in this event was the prowess of Jerry Dalton and Dick Wright, sophomores, and Jim VanMeter, freshman. In the sprints the only returning veterans were Sheldon Kaplan in the 100 and 220, and Jim Ballowe in the 440 and the relay. Three newcomers made the running events very strong this year. Dick Quisenberry was very outstanding in 100, 200, and 400; Doug Warford was a good candidate for the 100, 220, and 440 dashes; and Dan Elam ran the 440 and participated in the relays. Dick McBride and Bob Mills backed



JOHN LUTTRELL



HARRY KELLEY



DON POGUE





D. ELAM

S. KAPLAN

D. QUISENBERRY

D. WARFORD

J. BALLOWE



BOB MILLS

Luttrell in the distance runs, with Dick Cram and Bob Abborino adding strength.

The success in the field events depended entirely on newcomers. Paul Jones, Bob Taylor, and Charles McAnally competed in the pole vault, with Jones also broad jumping and running the low hurdles. Freshman Harold Frost was the leading candidate for the high-jump and the broad-jump.

The leading contenders in the weight division were Harry Kelley, Gerry Babel, Don Sessler, and Dick Jones. Jack Dettro tried his talents with the javelin.

This year's schedule provided very keen competition for the Allamnen.

TRACK SCHEDULE

Washington	at	Millikin
Millikin	at	Eastern
Wheaton	at	Millikin
Millikin	at	Beloit Relays
Normal	at	Millikin
Millikin	at	Elmhurst
Conference	at	Millikin
Millikin	at	Western
Millikin	at	District



PAUL JONES

DON POGUE
HARRY DUBINICK



GOLF



F. Rendfeld, B. Corrington, B. Hawkins, A. Meyers, J. Finley, E. Kuny.



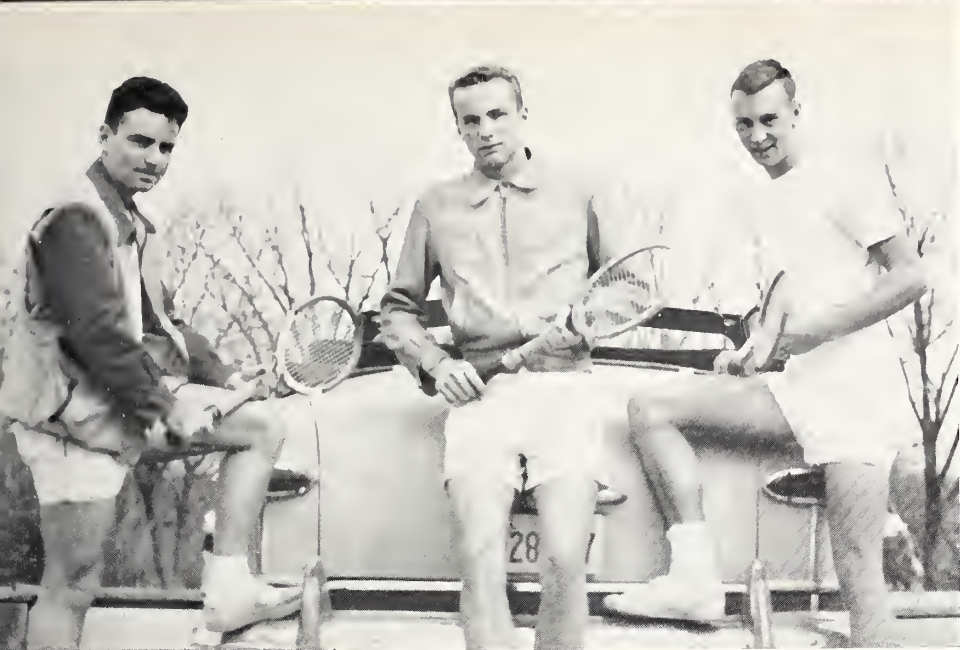
The captain for this year's best dressed sport was Ed Kuny, a senior and also letterman of the previous season. The remaining letterman on the squad was last year's captain, Jim Finley. Newcomers who gave the squad a boost this year were Bob Corrington, Bill Hawkins, and Fred Rendfield.

B. HAWKINS

J. FINLEY

A. Meyers, F. Rendfeld, E. Kuny, B. Corrington.

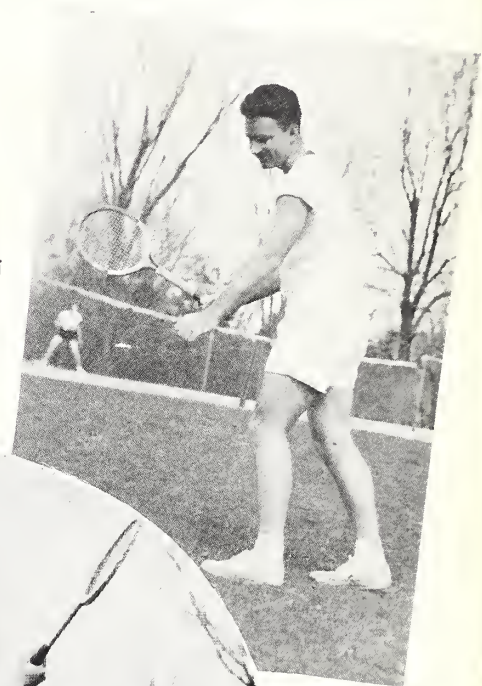




TENNIS TEAM—L. Dickerson, J. Ortberg, W. Fisher.

There were no returning lettermen to bolster this year's pre-season tennis squad for M.U. Larry Dickerson and Dan Weisman were the only veterans among the squad of six. The four freshmen on the line-up were: Bill Fisher, John Ortberg, Dave Martenson, and Tom Rice.

L. DICKERSON



J. ORTBERG

B. FISHER



MANAGERS

The unsung heroes of any team are its managers, for it is they who do the team's dirty work but receive little praise.

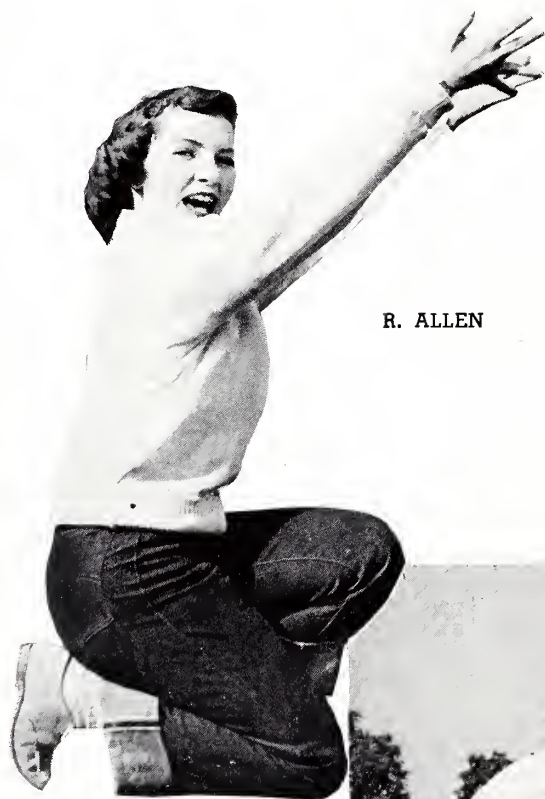
They keep the locker room in shape, take care of the uniforms, have the towels ready, treat cuts and bruises, but they are never adequately recognized.

Our hats are off to the managers, the off-field teammates of the Big Blue!



C. MINICK

G. ROGERS



R. ALLEN

CHEERLEADERS

With veterans Jody Collins and Sue Sullan and such newcomers as Janice Johnson, Rosemary Allen, Sharon McFadden, and Frank Beaman, the Millikin cheerleaders had a great deal to cheer about this year. In both football and basketball their yells paid off. Their seemingly unlimited energy and inspiration helped Millikin fans cheer our teams on to many victories.

S. McFADDEN

S. SULLAN

F. BEAMAN

R. ALLEN

J. JOHNSON

J. COLLINS





Row 1: D. Sessler, E. Kuny, J. Ballowe, C. Mueller, H. Kelley, B. Mills, J. Shepherd, F. Chizevsky, J. Semler.
Row 2: J. Luttrell, S. Kaplan, G. Babel, S. Smith, J. Fitzgerald, C. Bowman, B. Yount, D. Jones, J. Finley, B. Higgins, D. McBride, J. Killpatrick.

M CLUB

The letterman's club this year again proved to be active in worthwhile ventures. This year's leading activities for the M Club were taken care of by the proceeds of their used-book exchange. The club had a party for the Boys' Opportunity Home, and the members put their reserve fund into a scholarship fund for Millikin

athletes, to help build up our athletic program.

The M Club was headed by Bob Kowa the first semester, and Jack Shepherd was the vice-president. The second semester Harry Kelley was president of the club and Buddy Mueller was vice-president.

M MAN

JOHN LUTTRELL

This year the Millidek staff has chosen John Luttrell as M man. As a freshman John earned a starting berth on the basketball team, and he has been outstanding on the hardwood ever since. In track, John will always be remembered for his records in the half-mile, mile, and two-mile runs. He served as co-captain of the 1952-53 basketball team and captain of the track teams of 1951-52 and 1952-53.

John's scholarship and leadership in school activities have won him the admiration of the faculty and the student body. He has served as an officer of the M Club, and he is a past-president of his fraternity. John's congenial manner and his outstanding ability insure him a successful future.



WOMEN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The Women's Athletic Association is open to all university women. Its primary activity is the operation of an intramural program which includes softball, deck tennis, bowling, basketball, volley ball, and badminton. A round robin tournament is held for each activity, and points are awarded to those groups having the best records. A traveling trophy is presented each spring to the organization which has the greatest number of points. Individual awards are presented to girls who are active in intramurals and W.A.A. These awards are based on a point system. For 250 points you receive your numerals; for 500 points you get a blue M; for 1,000 points you receive a white M; and for 1,500 points and four years of participation you receive a letter sweater. These awards are given at the spring awards day.

Some of the other activities of the year included the annual picnic, election of officers, sports day, tennis tournament, and the selection of W.A.A. girl.



MARGIE KEELER

W. A. A. GIRL

The annual picnic was held in early fall in Fairview Park for all Millikin girls for the purpose of getting acquainted with the new girls and soliciting new members. The officers elected for this year were: Jackie Dunkel, president; Margie Keeler, vice-president; Janice Stone, secretary; Jo Young, treasurer; and Margie Parker, intramural manager. Sports Day for volley ball was held January 7 at Normal, and Millikin's team beat Wesleyan, 32-21. Basketball Sports Day was held at Normal March 21. The 37th annual invitational intercollegiate tennis tournament for women was held the second week-end in May. All of the colleges in Illinois and surrounding mid-west states were invited to send representatives. An elimination tournament was played and individual awards were given.

Each year a girl who is a member of W.A.A. and is of junior or senior rank is selected as the typical girl of W.A.A. This award is also based on scholarship, leadership, skill in activities, personality, service to W.A.A., sportsmanship, and participation in their activities. This year that award went to Margie Keeler, a senior.





WOMEN'S TENNIS TEAM

Row 1: S. Durbin, J. Peterson, C. Johnson, L. Matsumoto.
Row 2: M. Keeler, B. Dixon, M. Foster, J. Fitzgerald.



SENIOR LETTER WINNERS

M. Bingman, J. Breuer, J. Collins, M. Keeler, J. Dunkel

BASKETBALL ALL-STARS

Seated: J. Collins, J. Lytle, M. Keeler.

Standing: J. Gilman, J. Peterson, M. Parker, D. Stephenson, S. Durbin, J. Stone, S. Carroll, S. Coslet, E. Leach, M. Carter, J. Johnson, C. Getz.



VOLLEY BALL ALL-STARS

Row 1: S. Sweet, J. Breuer, J. Collins, C. Johnson, J. Gilman, M. Parker.

Row 2: D. Glogau, J. Dunkel, J. Keeler, M. Keeler, J. Stone, L. Wolf.



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DR. J. WALTER MALONE, *President*

DEAN MILLER

Not only has Dean Miller proven himself as a capable, competent, and efficient adviser and leader of Millikin University, but also, here is a man who has built his life for his students and his University, with little regard for himself. We, the students, sincerely acknowledge and value his efforts in making Millikin a leading university in the midwest.



DEAN FALVEY

Although her job is an endless stream of worries, our Dean of Women still finds time to enter into campus activities and to play her violin, which, by the way, she does very well. Dean Falvey's untiring efforts are forever bent to the purpose of making Millikin a better institution. She has the congenial, patient, and unassuming manner necessary to be successful in her dealings with the feminine members of the student body.





MR. R. WAYNE GILL
Business Manager



MR. BYRON KERNS
Registrar and Psychology



MR. E. W. PLOENGES
Veterans Counselor
and Mathematics

ADMINISTRATION

These are the men who have worked endlessly to give us the college education we desire. They have received little acknowledgment for their duties of keeping the University functioning properly, but we of 1953 do wish to say to them, "Thank you, for a job well done."



Dean Emerson I. Abendroth
Religion and Dean
of Chapel



MR. WALTER GRAY
Director of Public Relations

Athletic Department

Robert Appleby, Dorothy McClure,
Jackie Dunkel, Joyce Breuer, Ralph W.
Allan.



Biology Department

Ruth B. Thomas, Karl Busch.



Art Department

David E. Squiers, Jarold D. Talbot.



Business Department

E. W. Ploenges, Glen R. Smith, Jack W.
Gaston, Roberta Zust, Howard D. Rice,
Leslie E. Munneke.



Engineering and Industry

Frances E. Wilson, Robert O. Metzger,
William L. Olsen, Carl Head, David
Glassock.



Education Department

William E. Fisher, Victor F. Dawald.



History Department

Albert T. Mills, Daniel J. Gage, C. L.
Miller, Willis H. Walker.



English Department

Ethel M. Parkinson, Frank Flack, Elinor
J. Gage, Ruth A. Maxwell, Neal Double-
day, Frances H. Doubleday.



Language Department

Flora Ross, Bonnie R. Blackburn,
H. Logan Cobb.



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Nanette Smith, Vera Saar, Viola M. Bell.



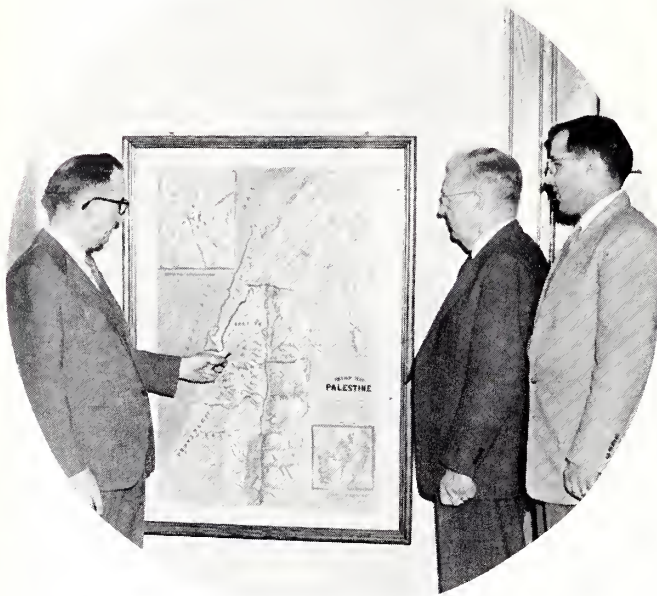
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Wesley H. Snyder, Howard E. Akers,
Harold C. Hess, Hubert Norville, Eliza-
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Mathematics Department

Frances E. Falvey, Bryce K. Brown, E.
W. Ploenges, Earl C. Kiefer.



Religion and Sociology Department

Edward S. Boyer, Raymond R. Brewer,
Emerson I. Abendroth.



Music Department Piano

Elizabeth Travis, Doris Smallwood,
Anna McNabb, Zelna Lowe, Wilna
Moffett, Eugene Miller, Marilyn Binford,
Oscarine P. Dewhirst, Edna Childs,
Gloria Miner, Frieda M. Moessner.



Philosophy Department

Raymond R. Brewer, Emerson I.
Abendroth.



Psychology Department

William E. Fisher, Byron L. Kerns.



Science Department

Carl Weatherbee, Maurice R. Armstrong, Max C. Bolen.



Secretarial Science

Glen R. Smith, Margaret R. Sparks.



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Elinor J. Gage, Merl W. Tillson, Edith McNabb.



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Music Office

Iva Cornthwaite, Beatrice Young.



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Dorothy Tippet, Walter B. Gray, Lerton Krushas, Mary Lou Thomson, Robert Harlan.



Librarians

Diane Fisher, Mary Jo Kellams, Cornelia Eastland, Deloris Glogau, Helen Fromel, Ellen DeGroot, Elinor J. Gage, Donna Riechman, Carol Cain.



Custodians

In front: G. Baird, H. Thompson, R. Butter.

On stairs: D. Burcham, H. Crump, M. Hunt, M. Smith, L. Flannigan.



Nurse

Mary Bales

Senior Class

This year the Senior Class has special memories because we are the 50th Anniversary graduates.

As we look back over the four years, certain things like coffee at the Sub, basketball games, formals, chapels, and exams come to our mind. Certain things are special this past year, such as the 50th Anniversary Homecoming, a remodeled Albert Taylor Hall, and a new men's barracks.

All these events help us to say that we were proud to be a part of Millikin University and the Class of '53.

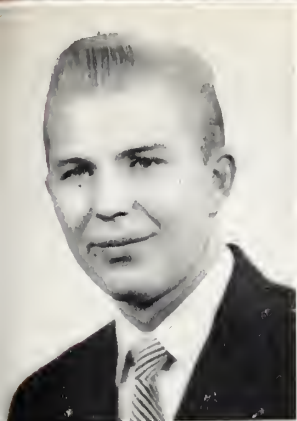
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Barbara Burgis
Secretary

Jim Fitzgerald
President





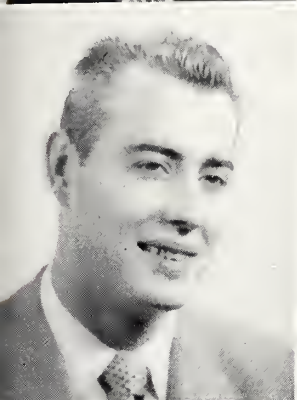
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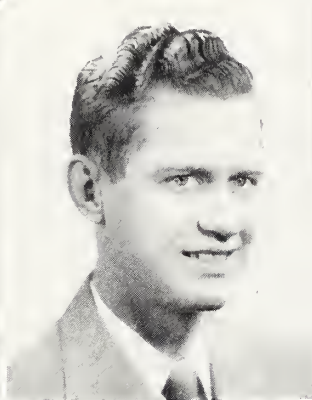
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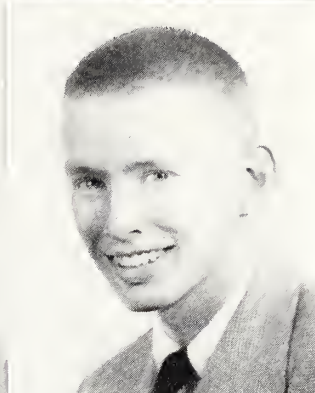
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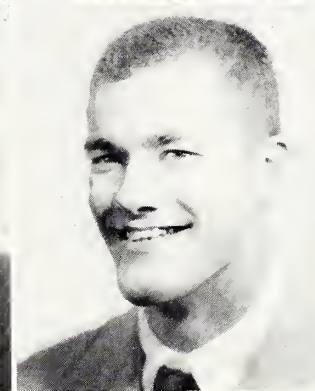
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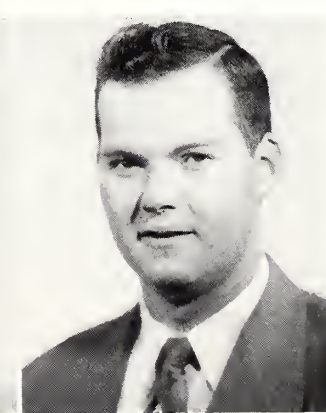
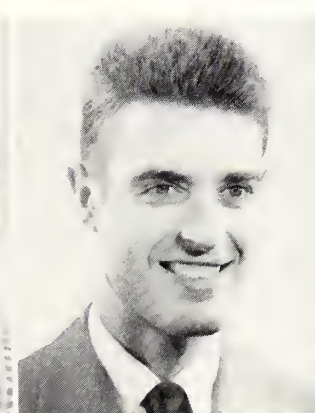
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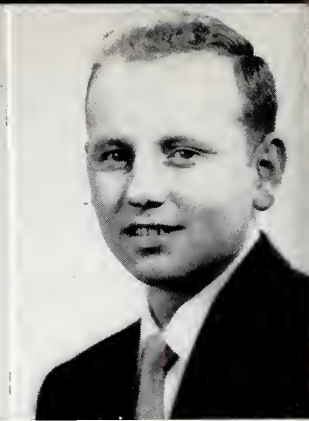
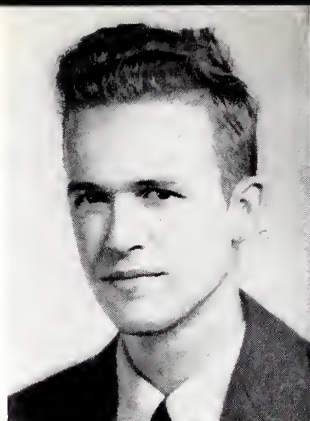
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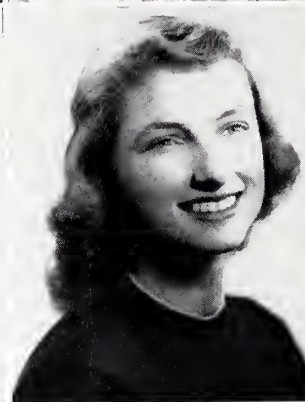
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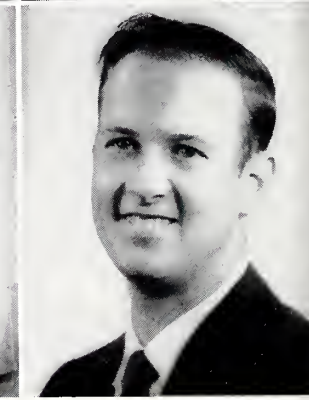
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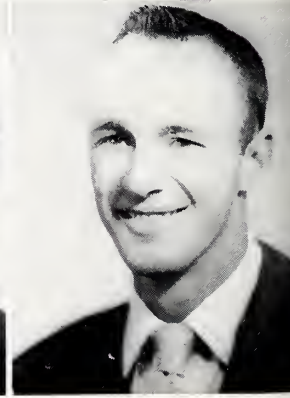
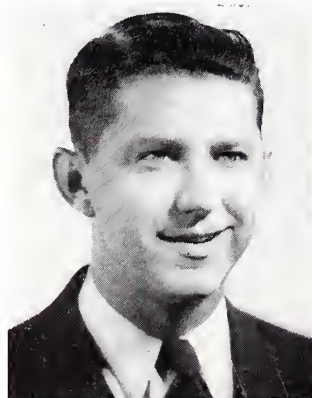
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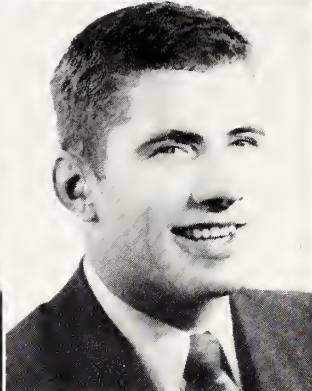
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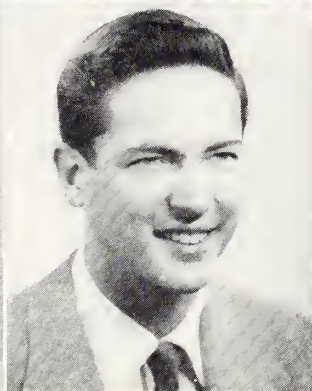
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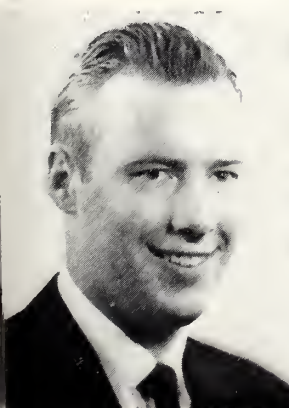
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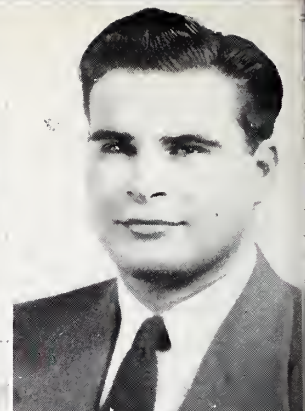
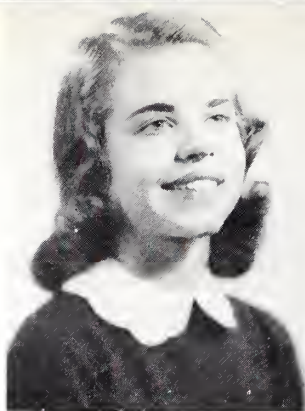
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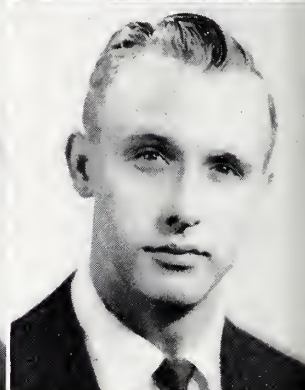
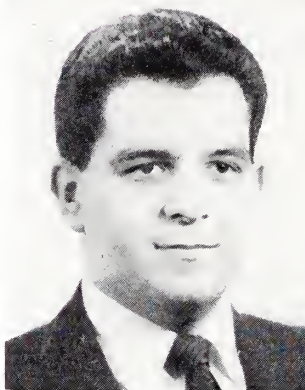
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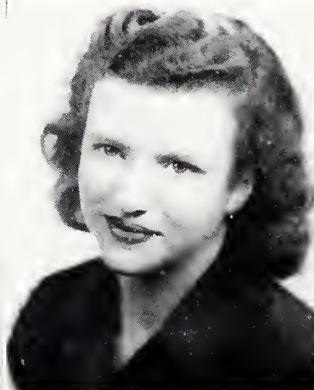


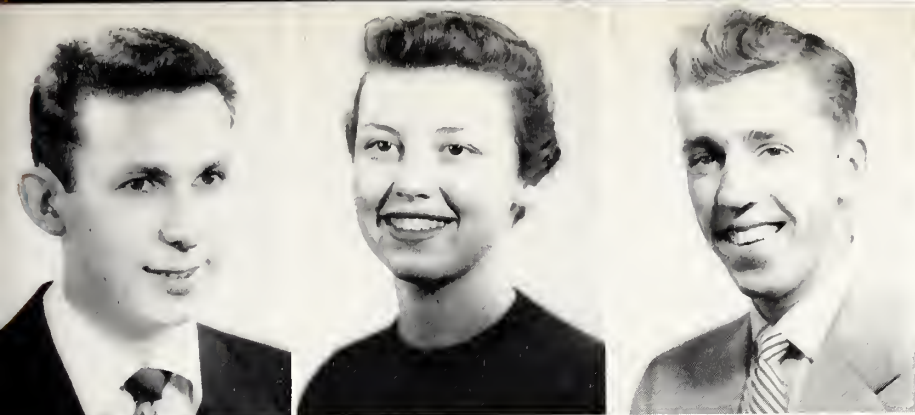
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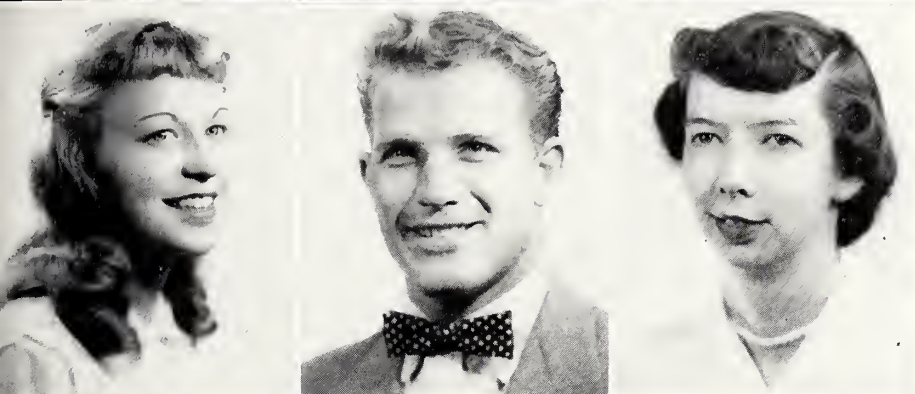
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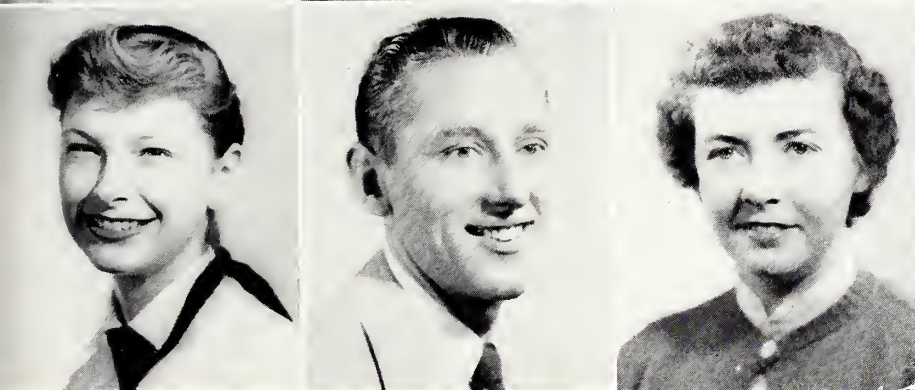
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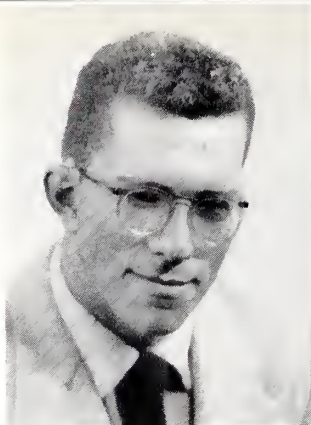
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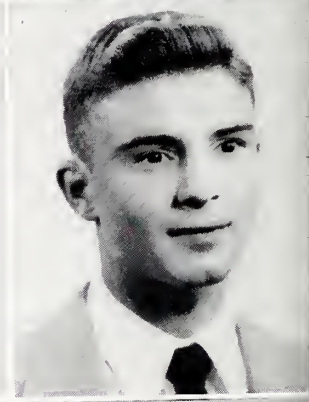
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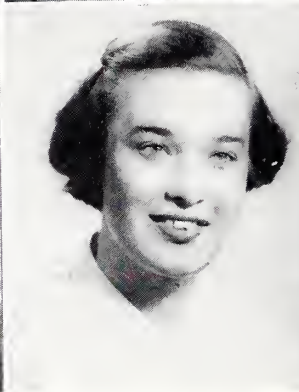
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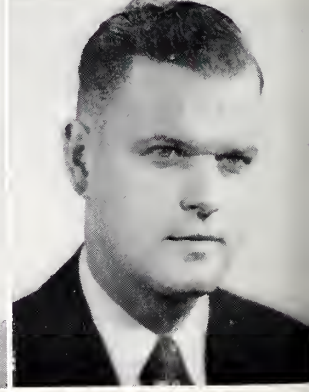
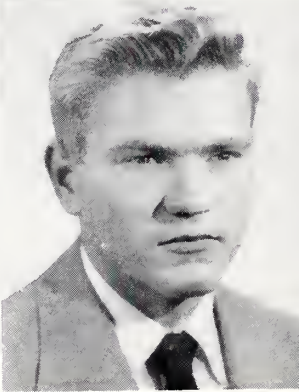


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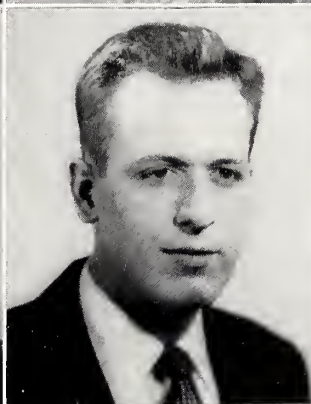
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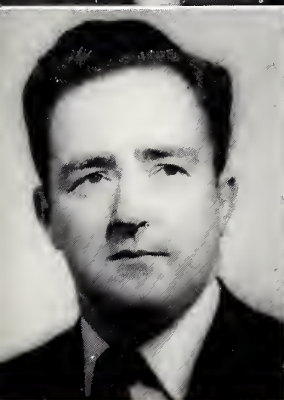
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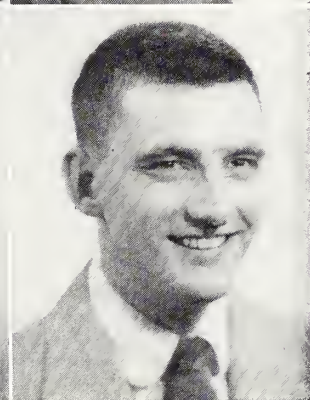
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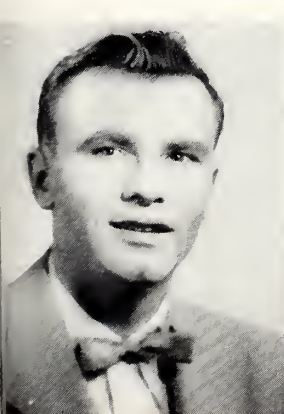


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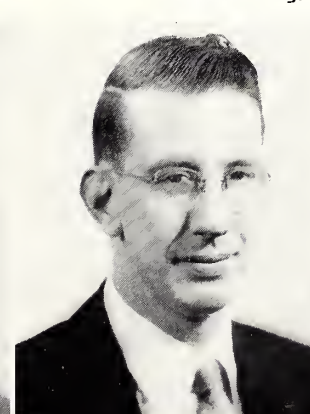
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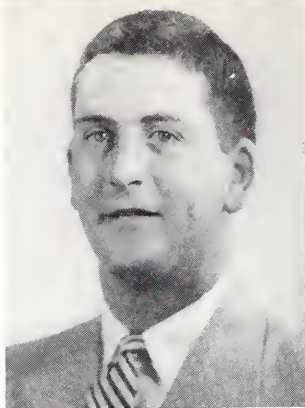
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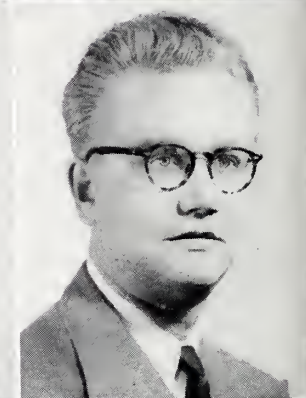
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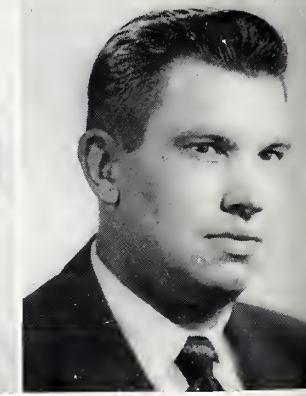
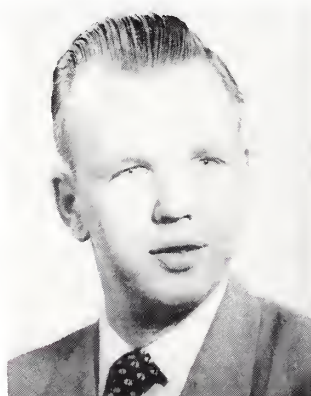


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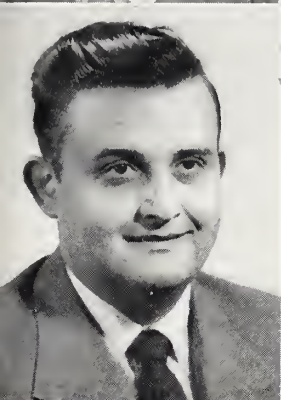
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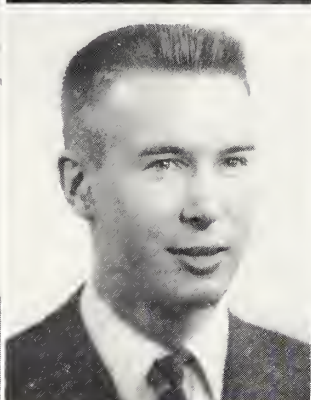
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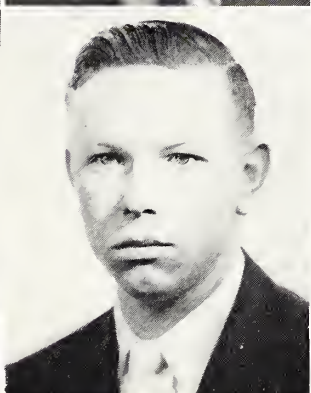
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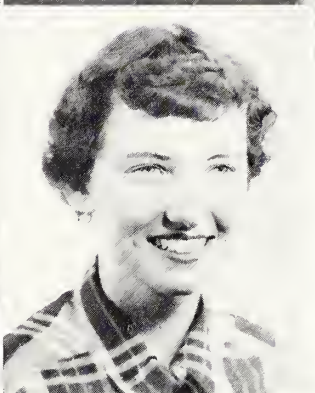
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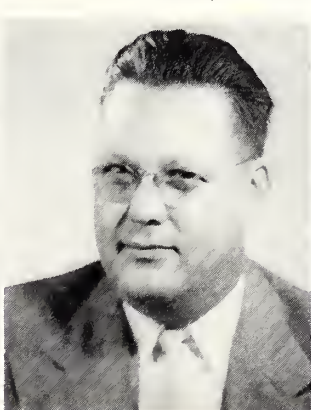


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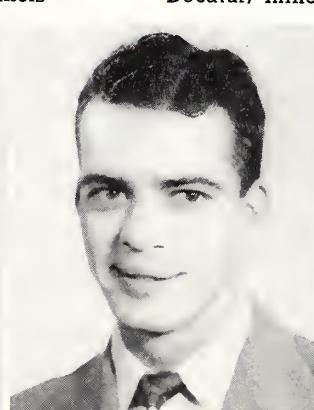
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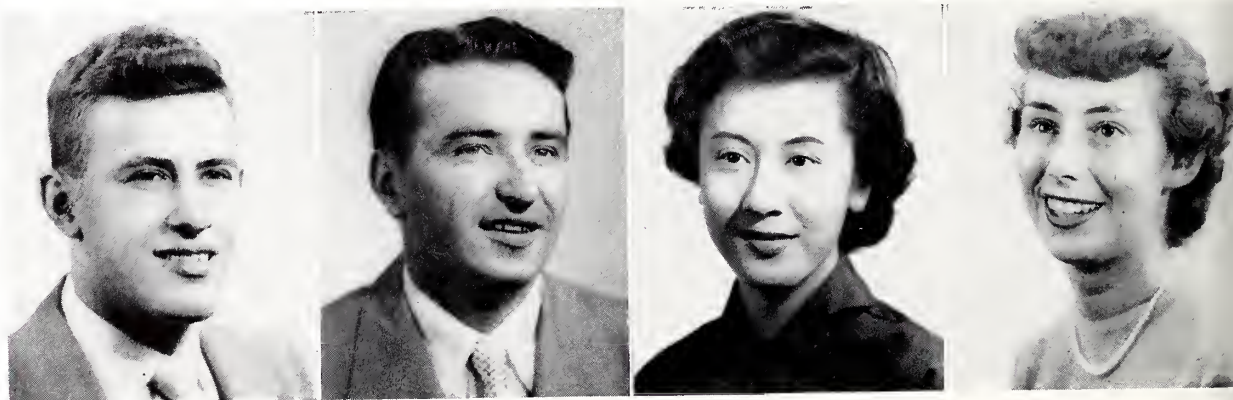
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President

Dick Dechert
Vice-President

Jeanne Sparks
Treasurer

Junior Class

This year witnessed a renovation in the character of the annual class assembly initiated by a very talented and versatile Junior Class. The class presented "The Coventry Nativity Play", a miracle play of the fifteenth century. The idea of a more serious class program was definitely a progressive development in student activities and campus life.

A boost to the organization and effectiveness of the Junior Class was the creation of a timely constitution.

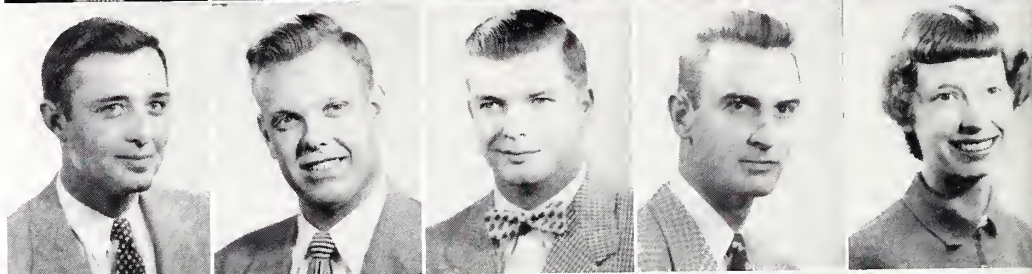
Early in the fall the class elected Mrs. R. A. Frommel as adviser. Her interest in class activities was certainly appreciated.

The Junior-Senior Prom and the Junior Class picnic highlighted the year's activities, thus ending a year of successful social functions.

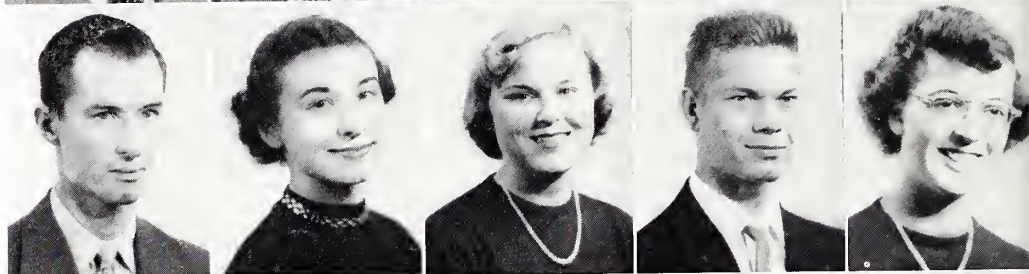
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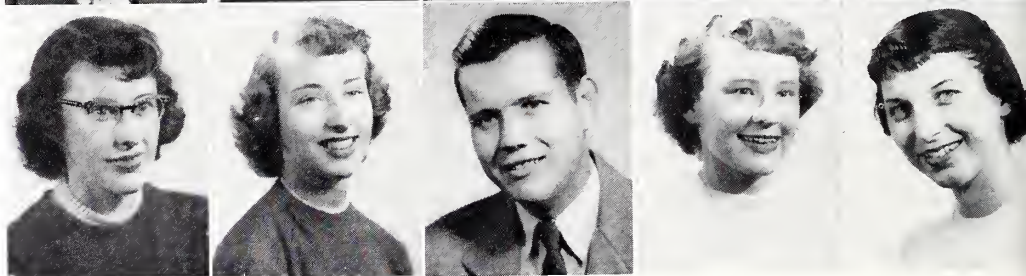
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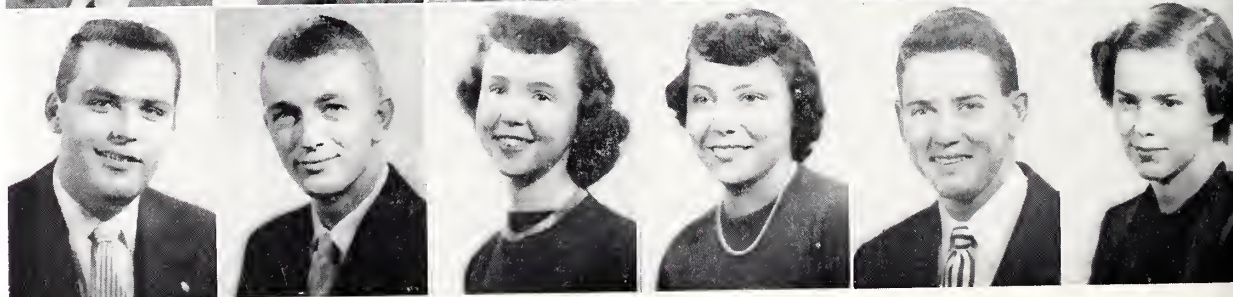
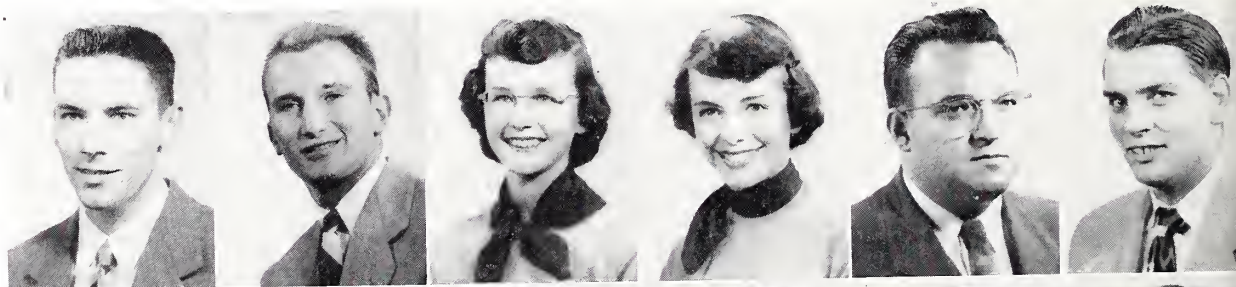
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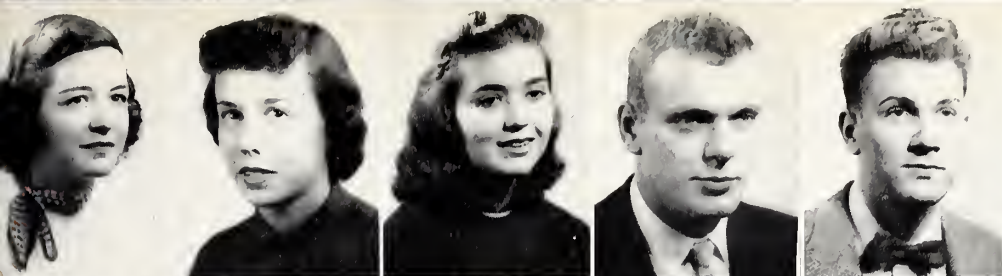
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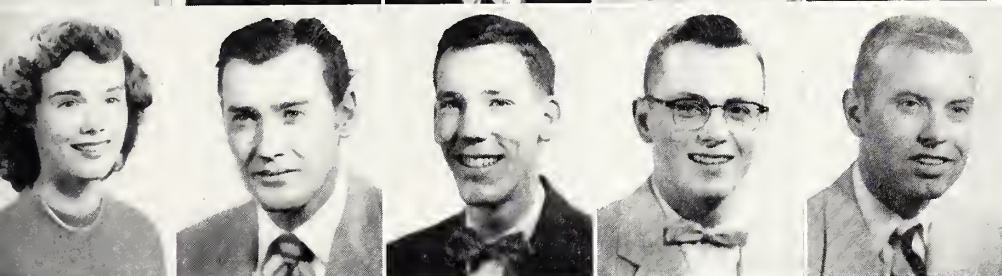




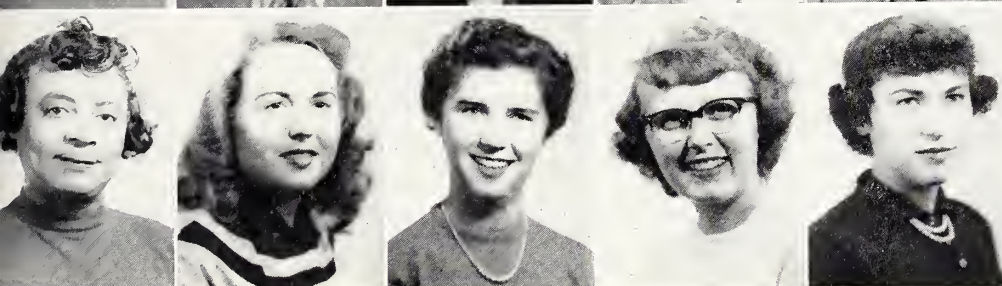
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Erwin Hosto
Ben R. Howenstine
Parker Jackson
Jim Jeffers



Martha Jeffries
Lois Jensen
Sally Joffray
Lucy Johnson
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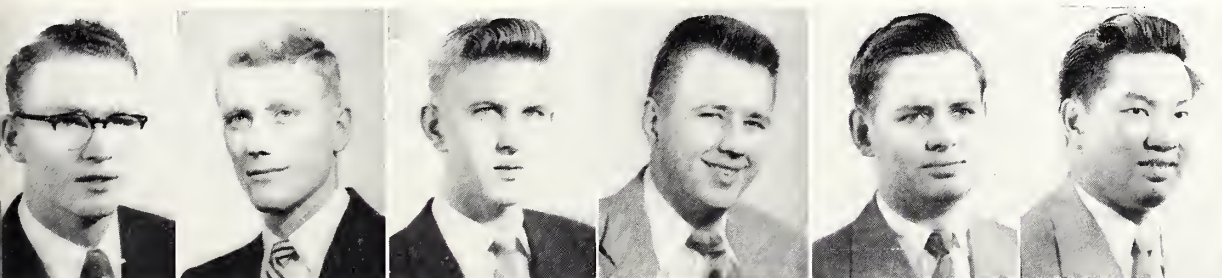
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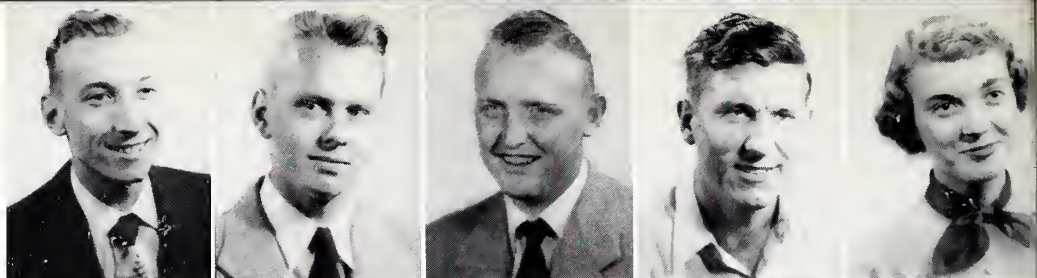
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Ken Morris
Sally Morrison
Bud Mueller
Janet Mueller



Dave Niederbrach
Betty Nelson
Margaret Odell
Shirley Pattengill
Anne Persons



Leora Pierce
Don Pogue
George Prust
William Puckett
George Purcell



Richard
Raney
Elmer
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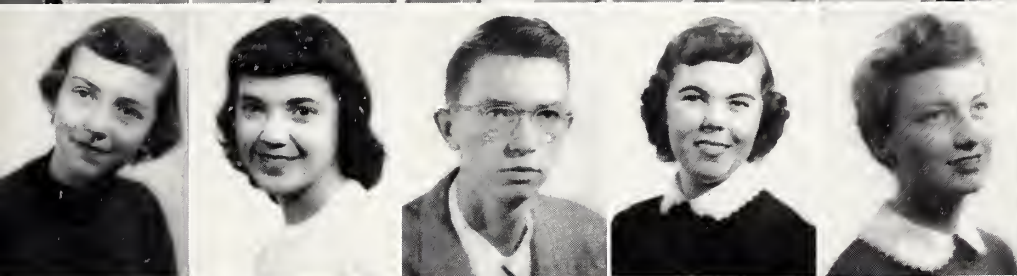
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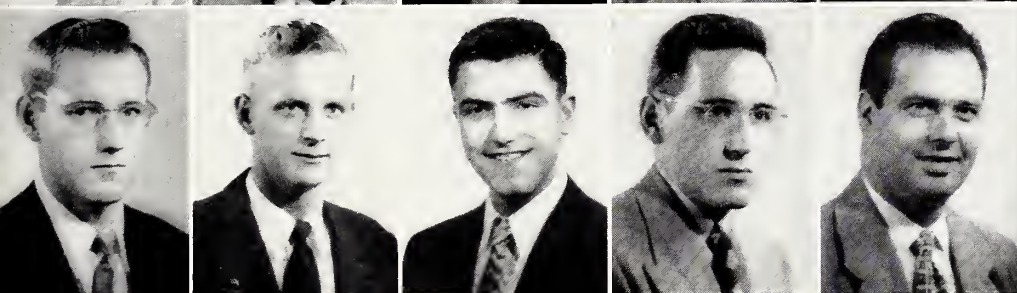
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Bill Tankersley
Roger Thomas
Jack Thompson
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Al Uzzell
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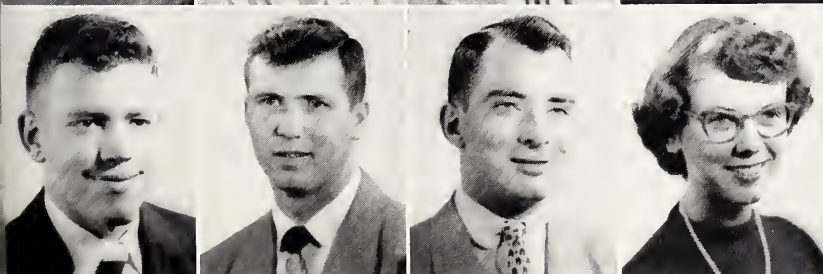
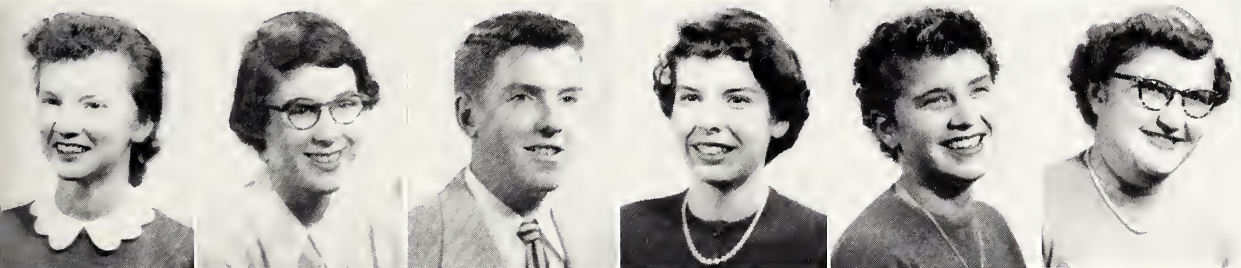
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Sophomore Class

The first success that the Sophomore Class tasted this year was the undisputed defeat of the Freshmen in the Frosh-Soph Contests preceding the Homecoming game. After that, the class launched itself upon a social whirl which included an all-school square dance, the Barn Bounce, in the gymnasium, April 11, and a picnic in May. The Sophomore Class Assembly, a take-off on "South Pacific", was a howling success. In all these ventures the class was ably assisted, supported, and counseled by Mr. Max Bolen, the adviser for the year.

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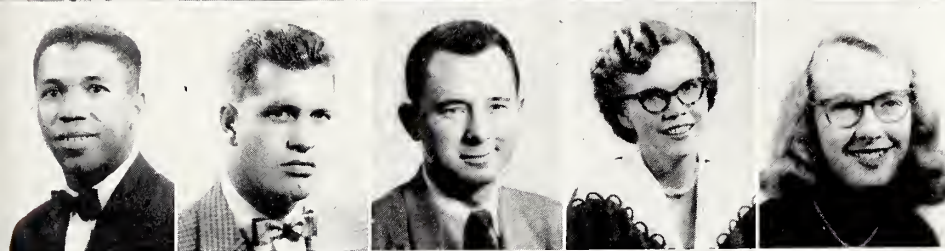




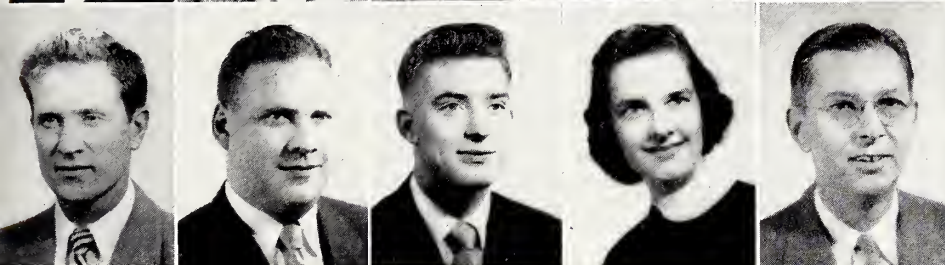
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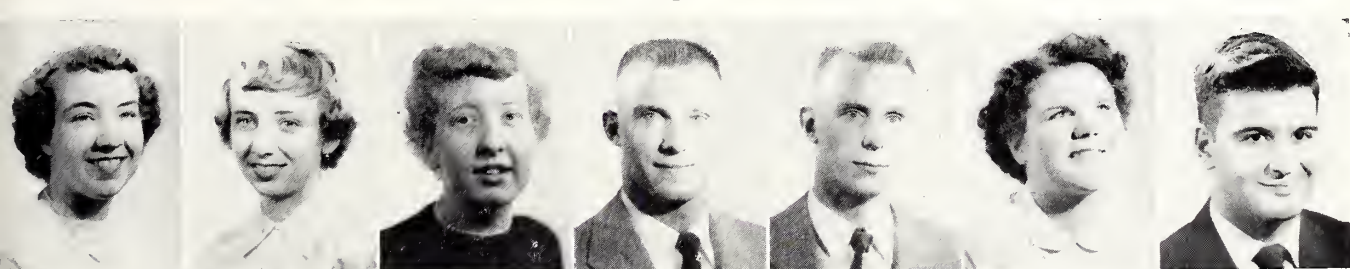


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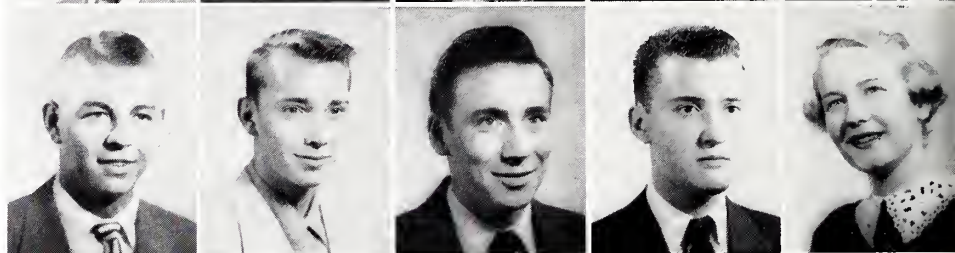
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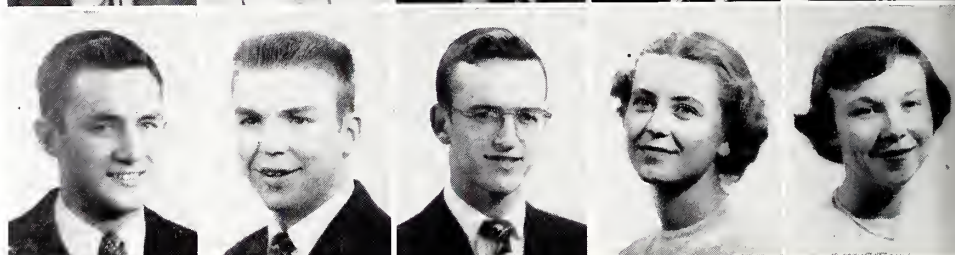
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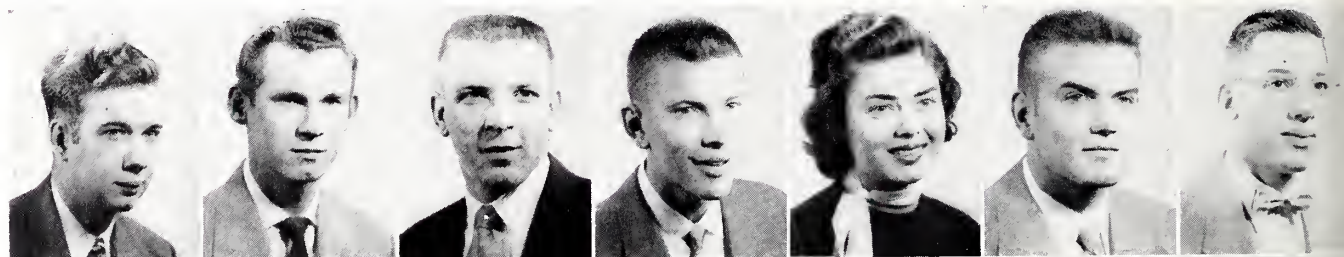
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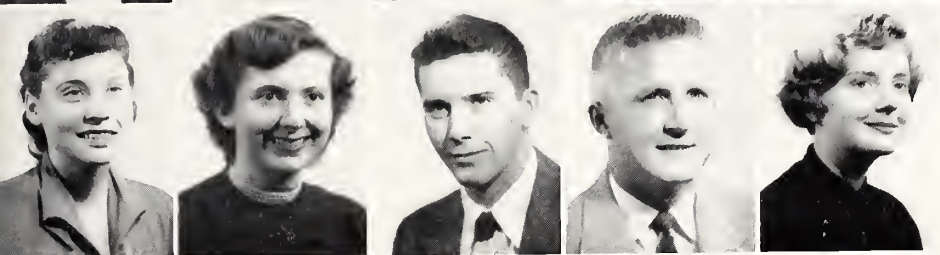
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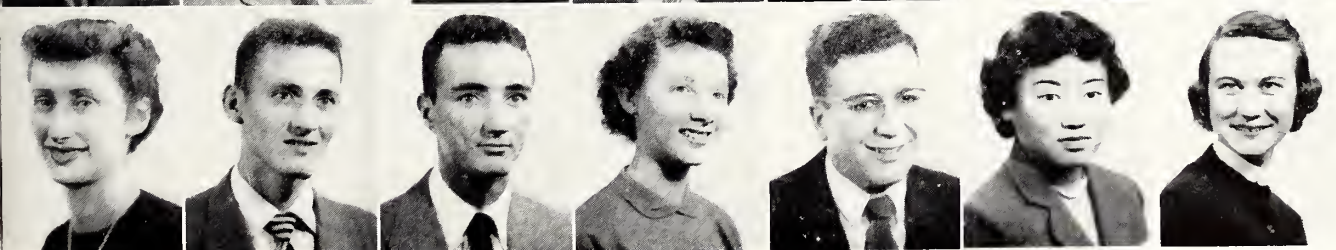
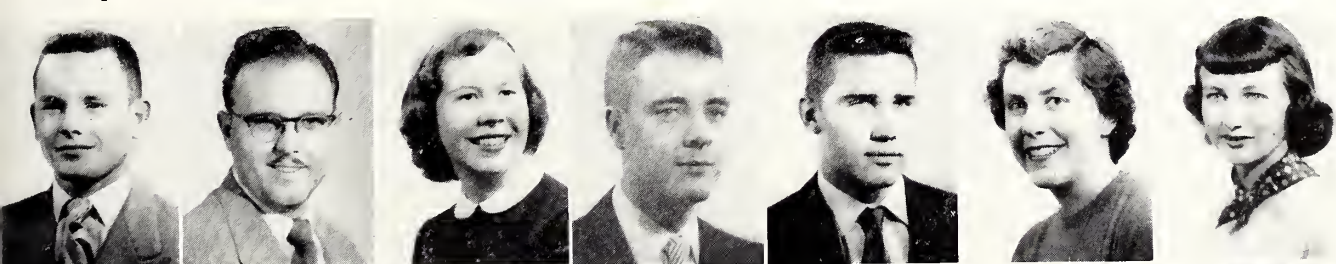


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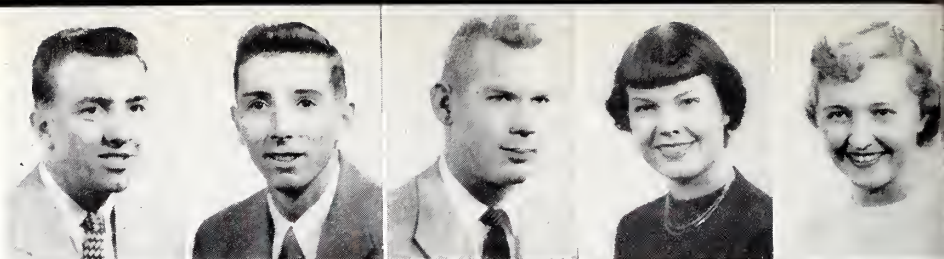


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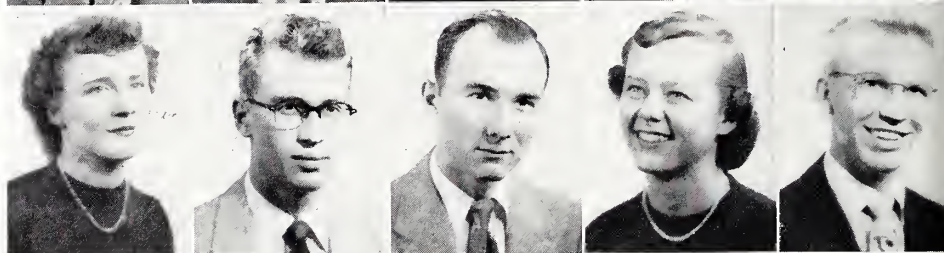
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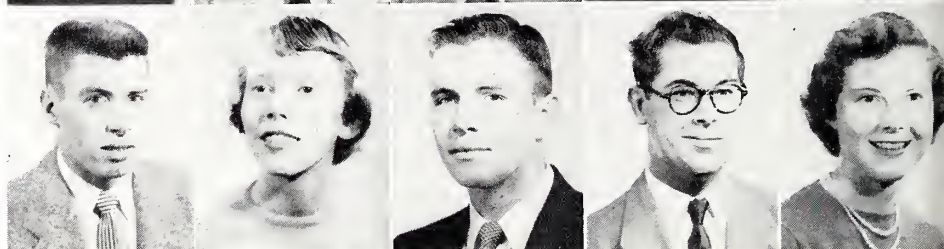
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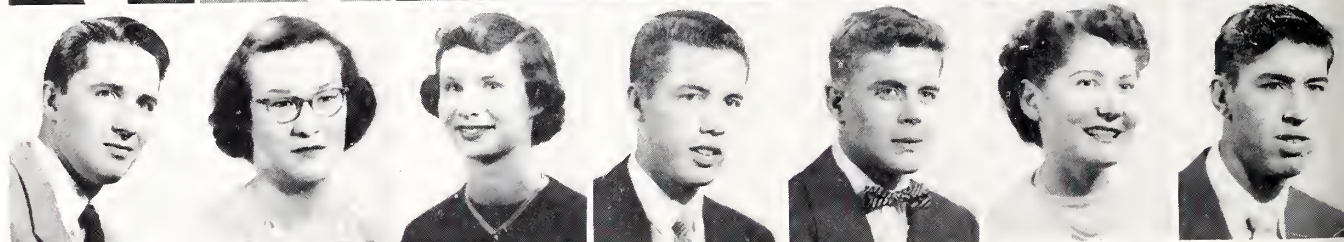
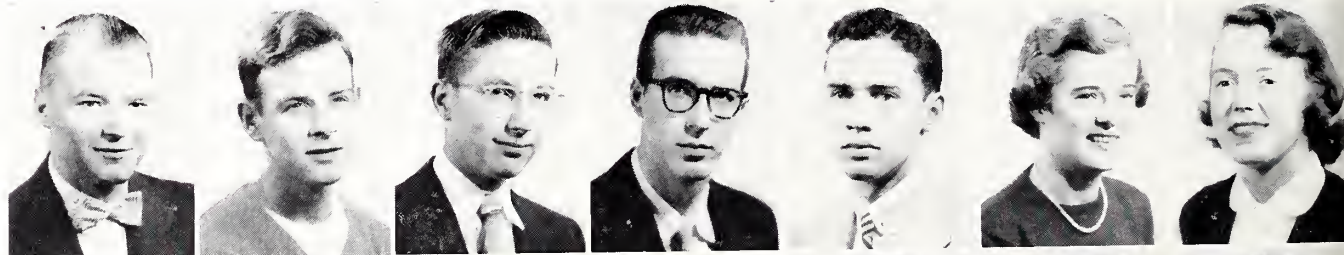
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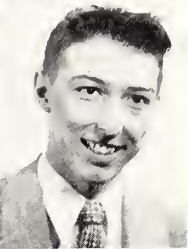
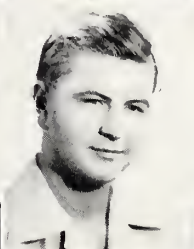
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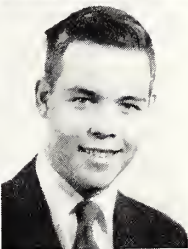




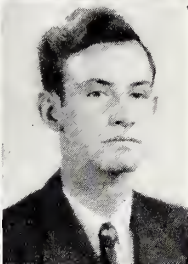
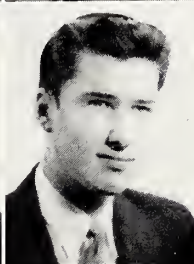
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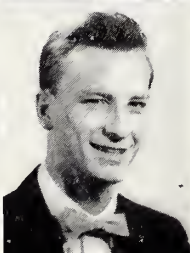
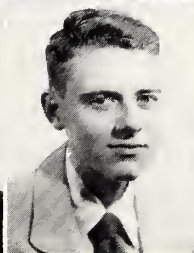
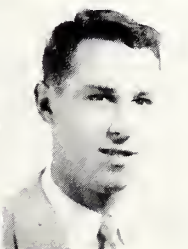
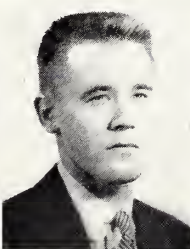
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Freshman Class

This year has brought the Freshman Class success in all of their activities except the defeat by the Sophomores, in the annual Frosh-Soph games which preceded the Homecoming game.

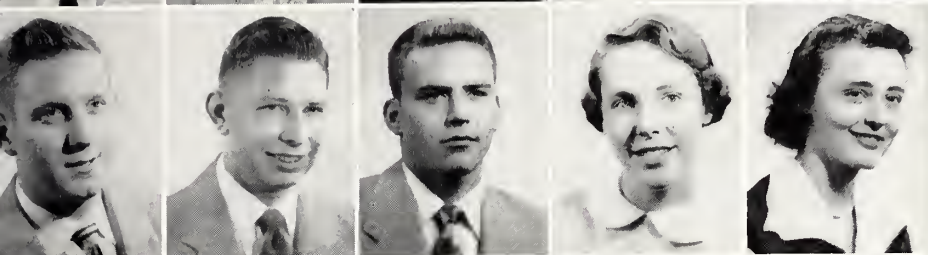
The Freshman Class joined in a picnic on September 9, at Fairview Park. A mixer was held in the Milliden so that the Freshmen could become better acquainted with each other.

The orientation program must also be mentioned, as it proved to be a valuable aid to many Freshmen and an entertaining, worthwhile hour each week.

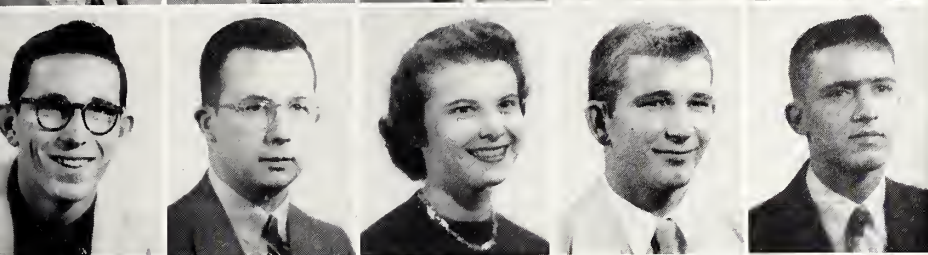
At the beginning of the month of March, the Freshmen came up with some outstanding talent in the Freshman Variety Show. All in all, the Freshmen have had an eventful and successful year.



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Eleanor Andree
Mary Lou Arbogast
Don Augspurger



Don Baer
Gene Baker
Chuck Ball
Marcia Bamberger
Dolores Barone



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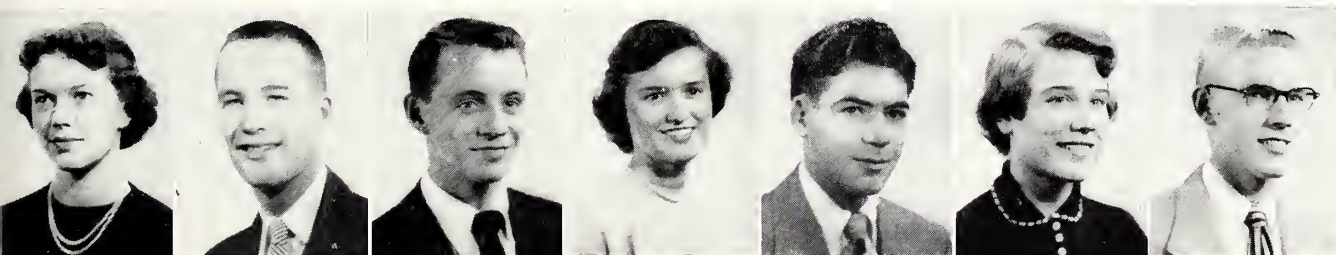
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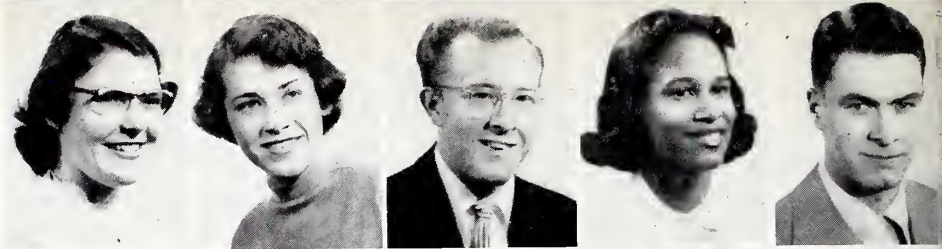
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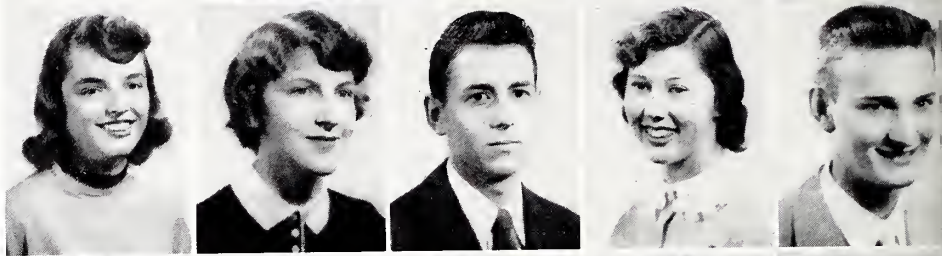
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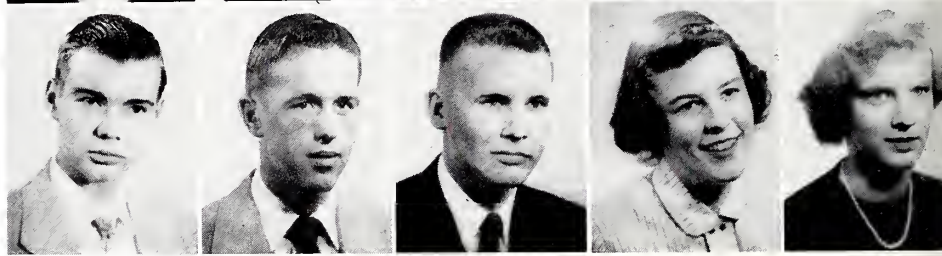
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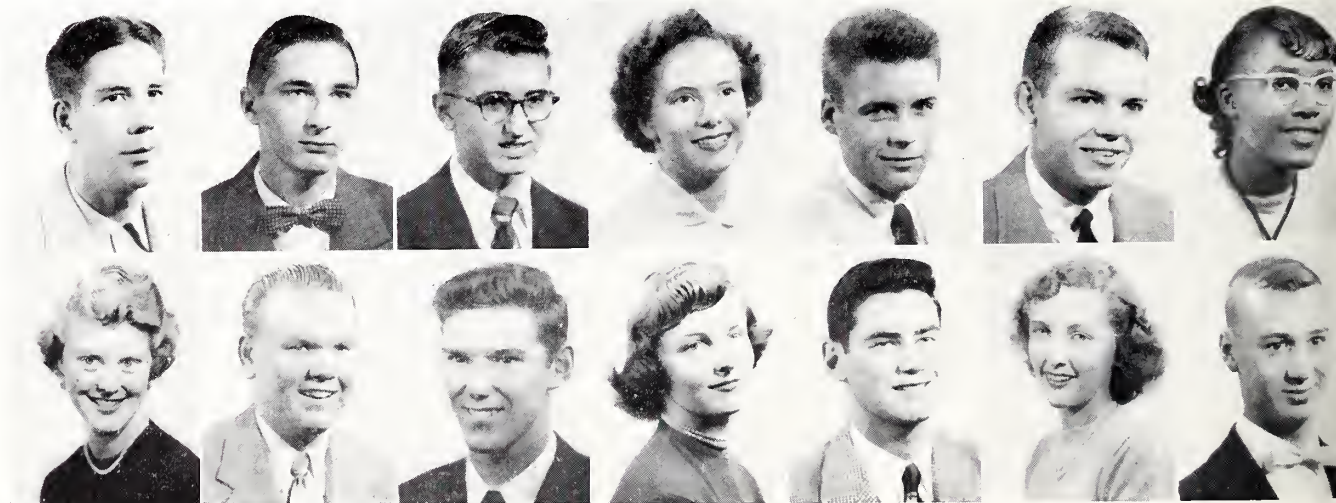
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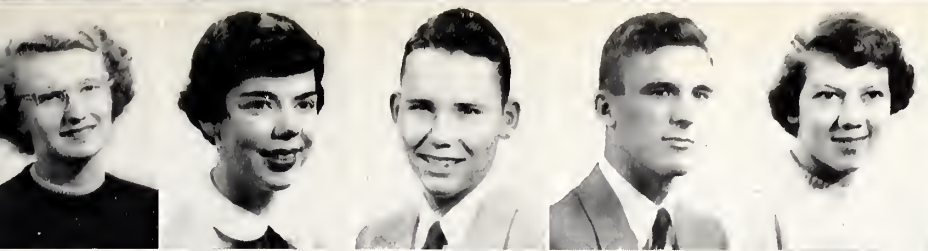
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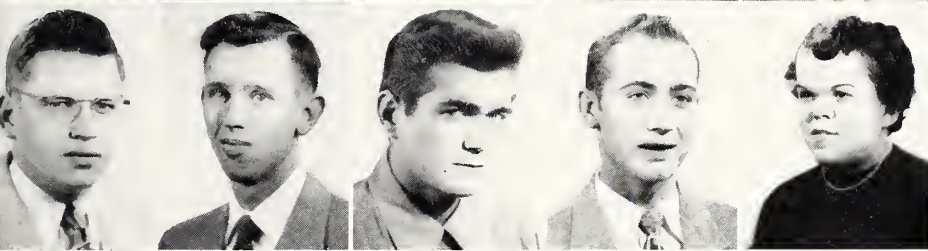




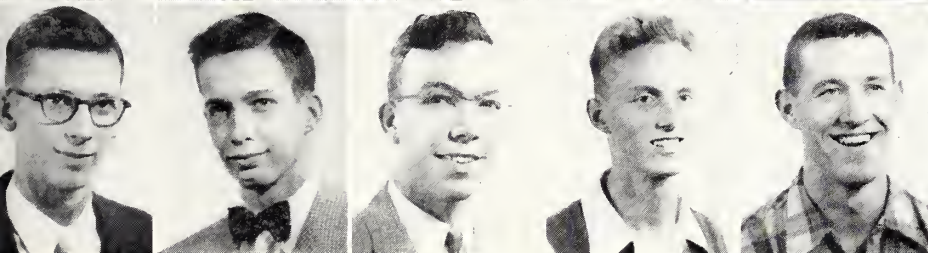
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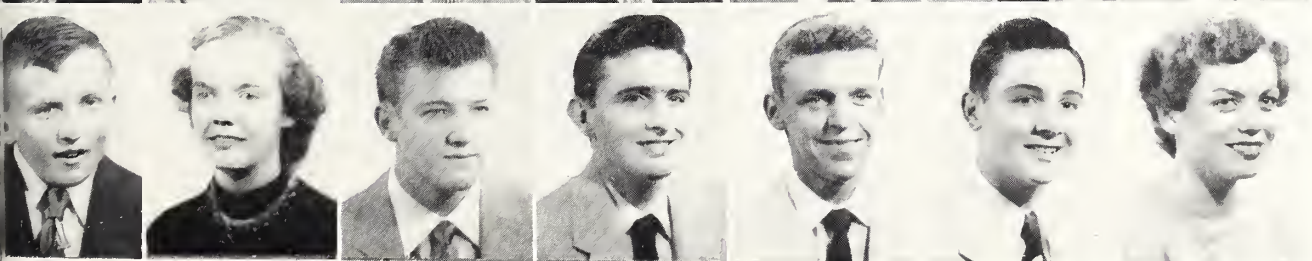
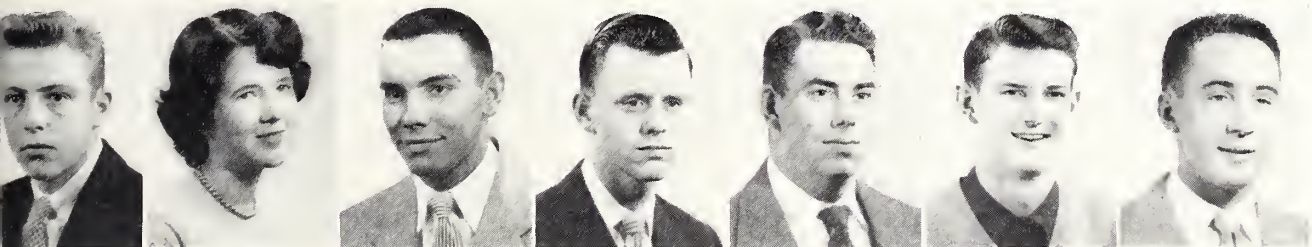


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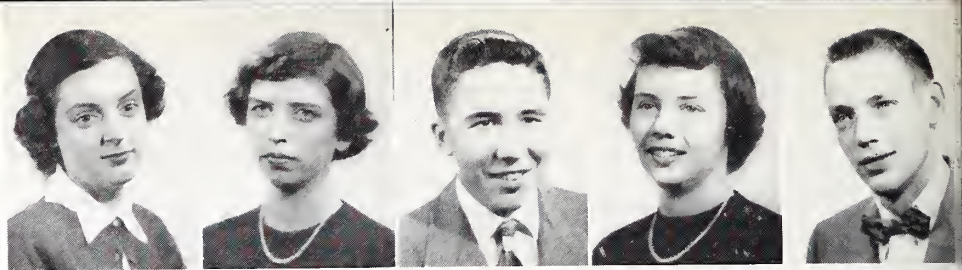


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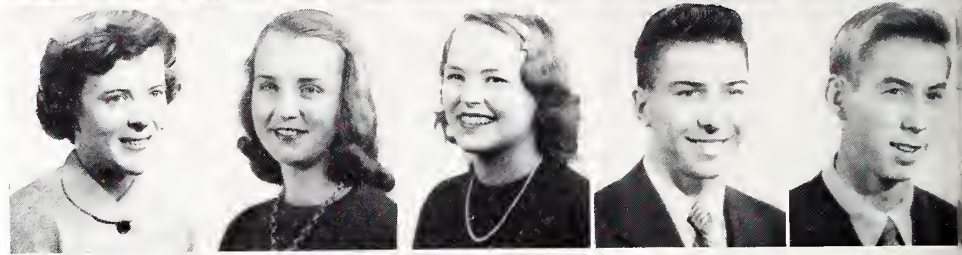
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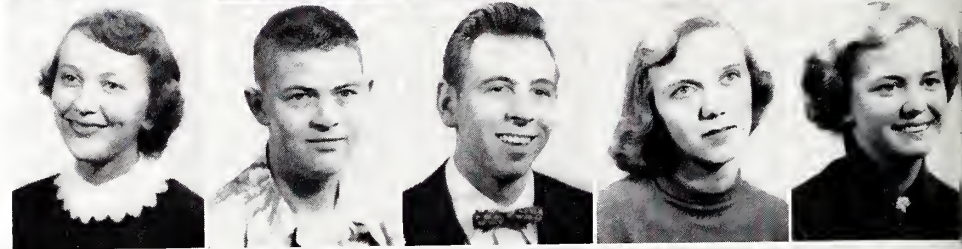
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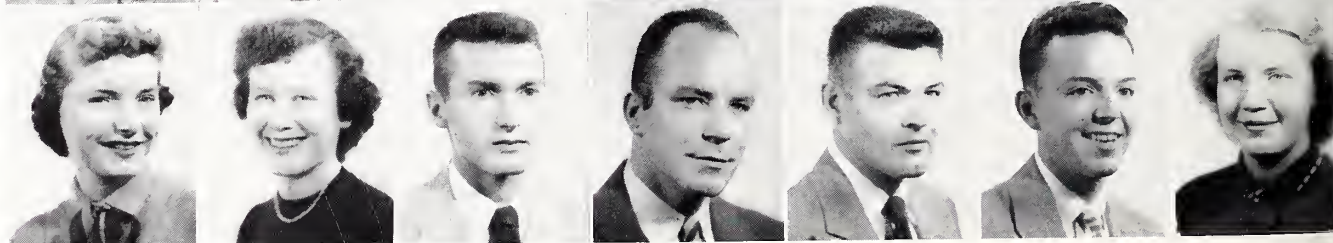
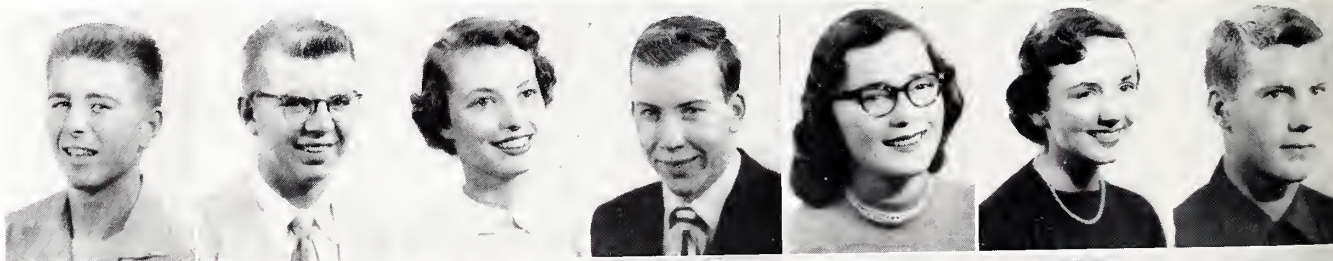
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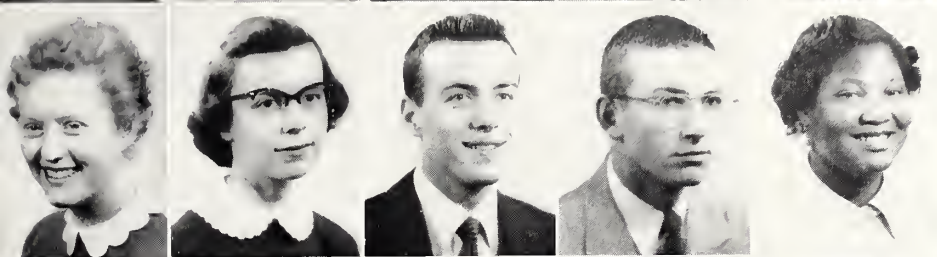
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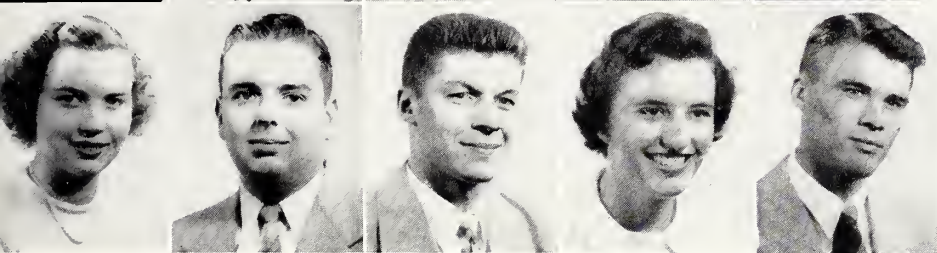
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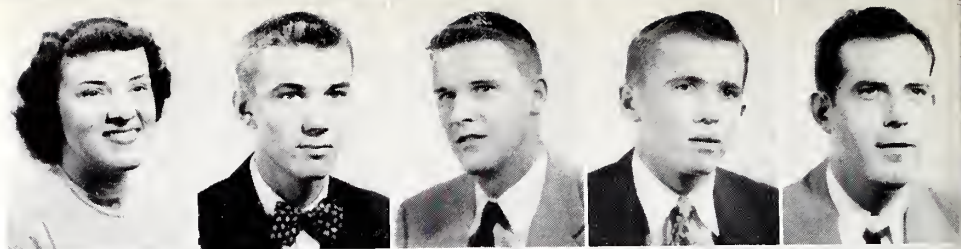


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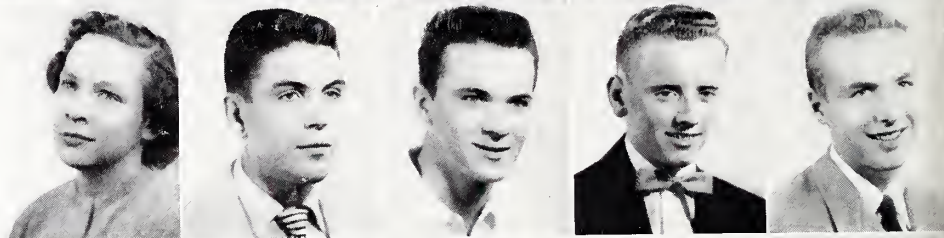
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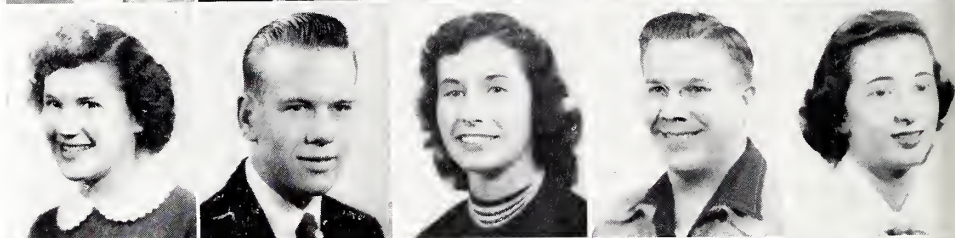
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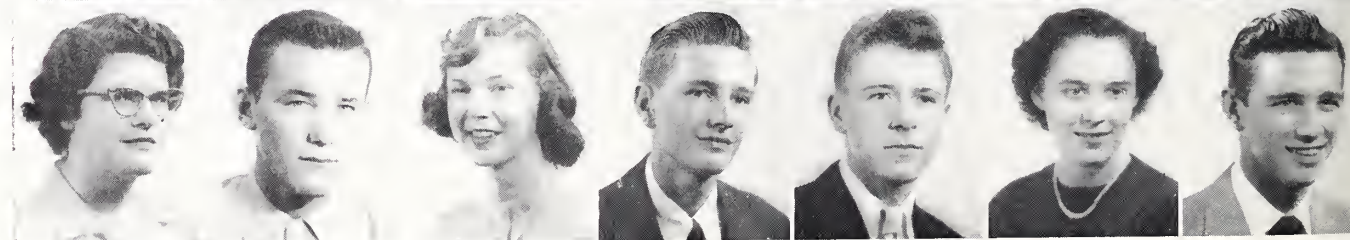
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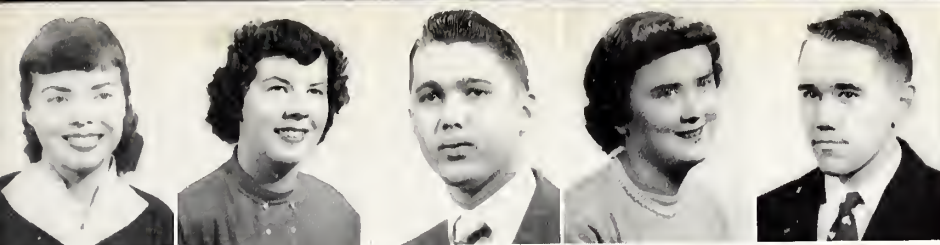
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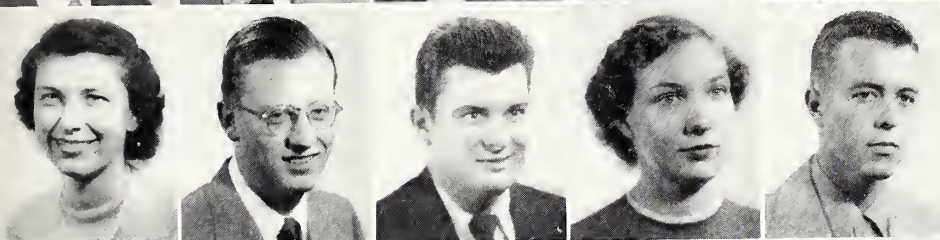
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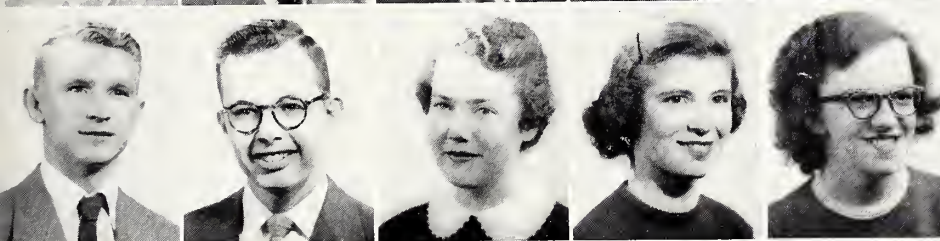
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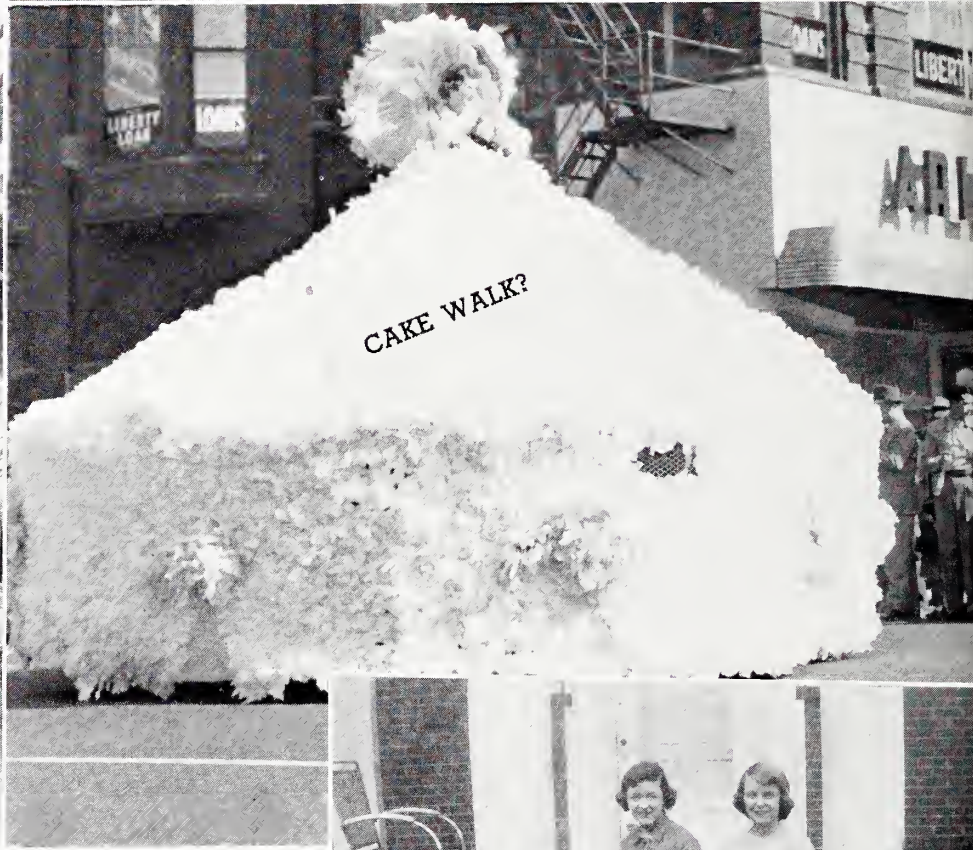
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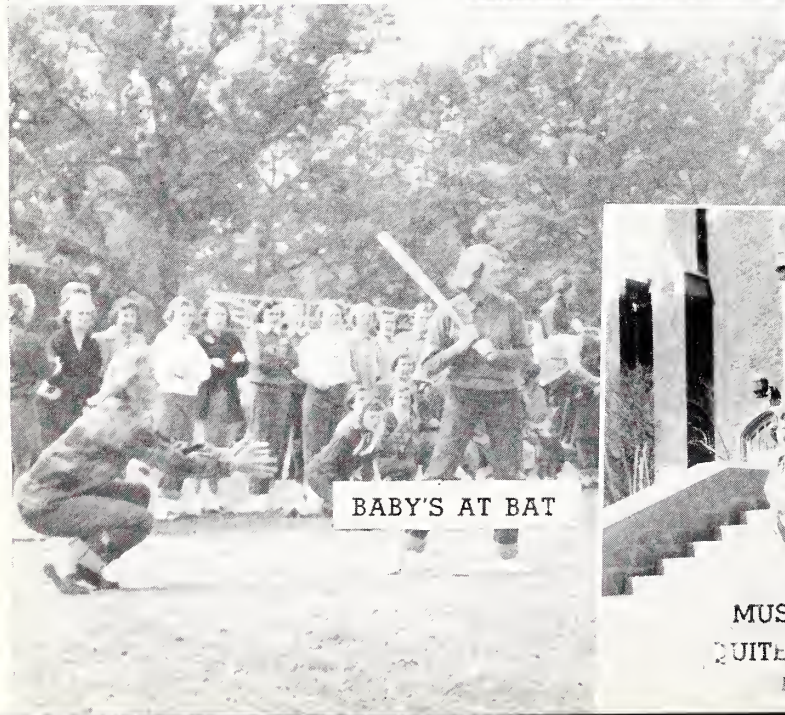
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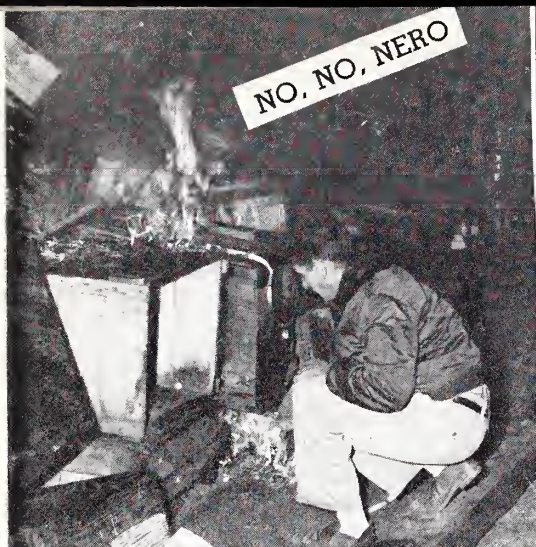
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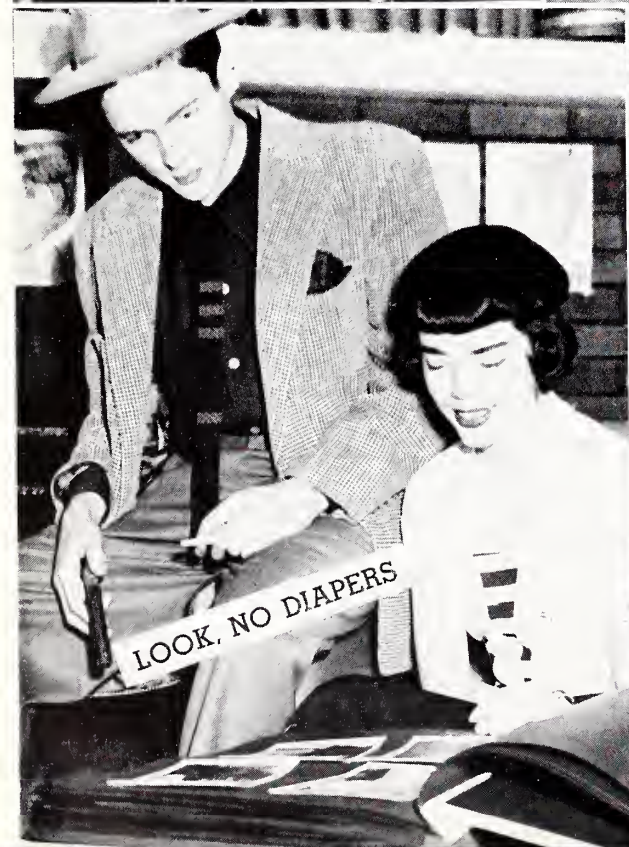
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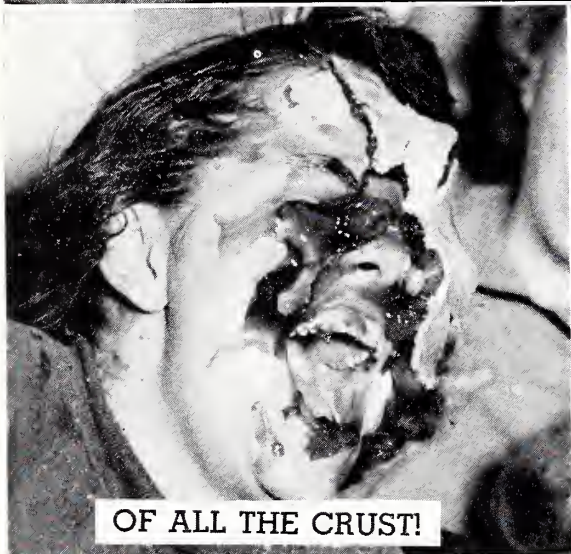
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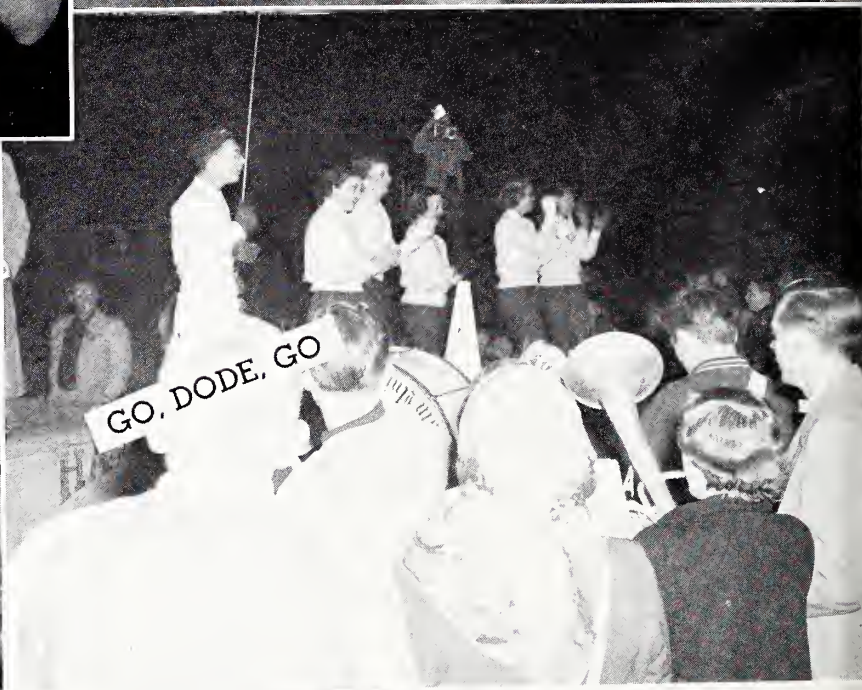
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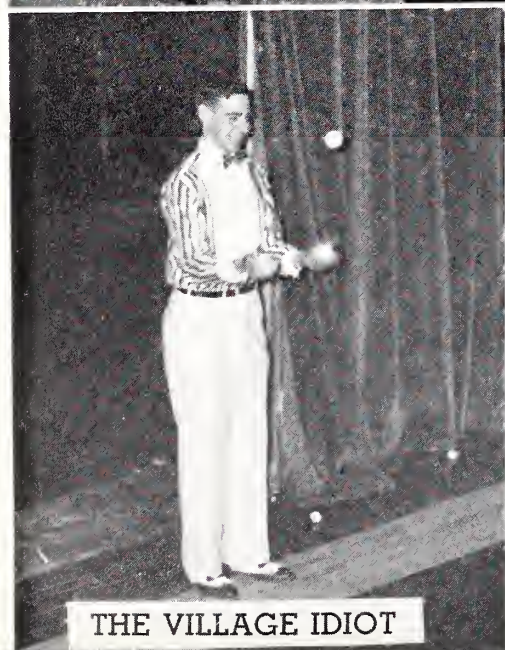
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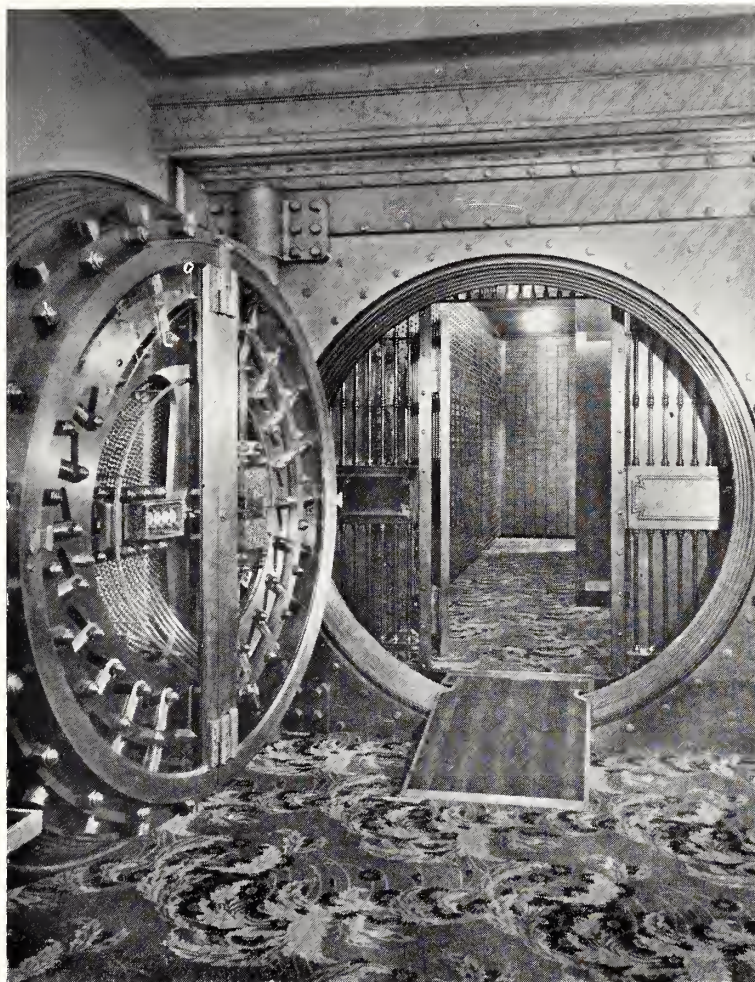
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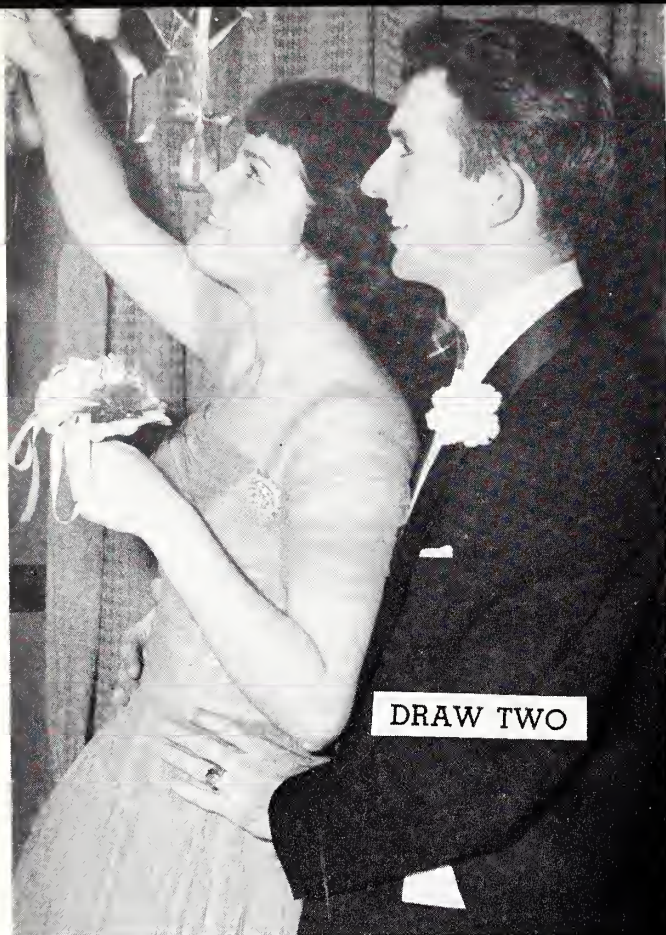
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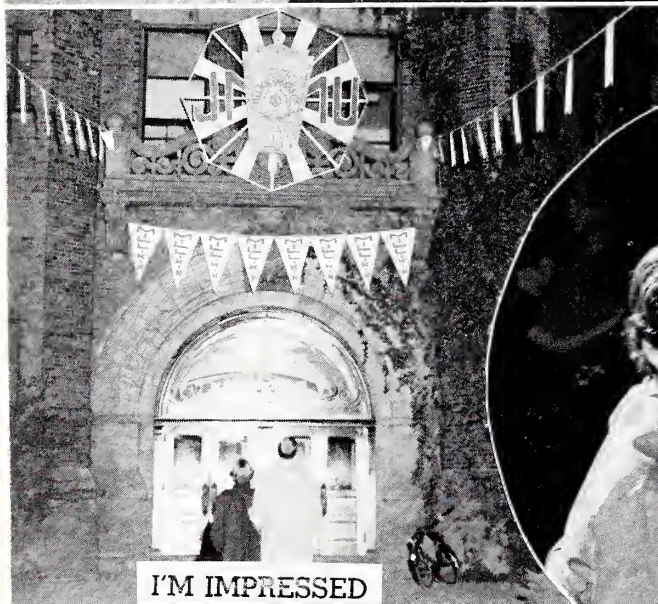
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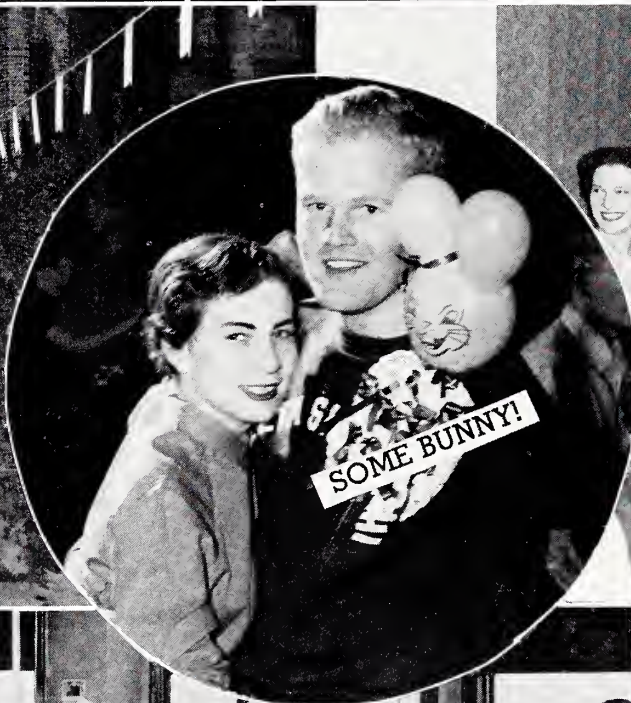
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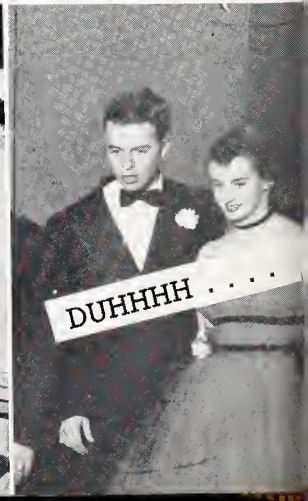
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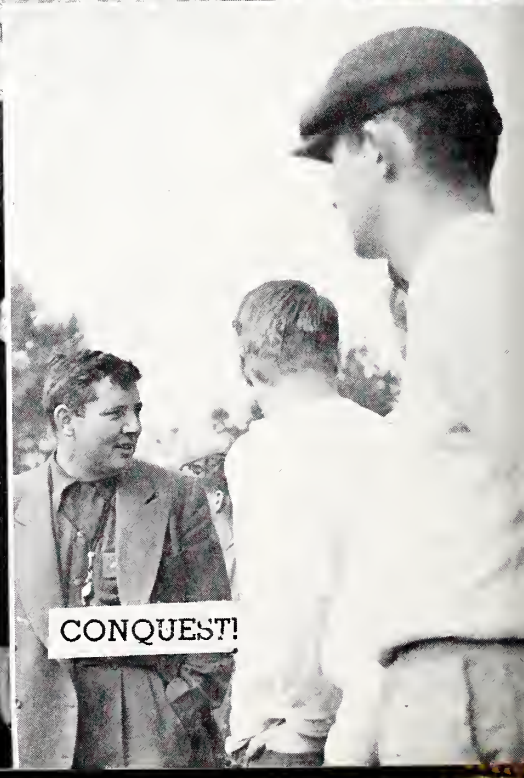
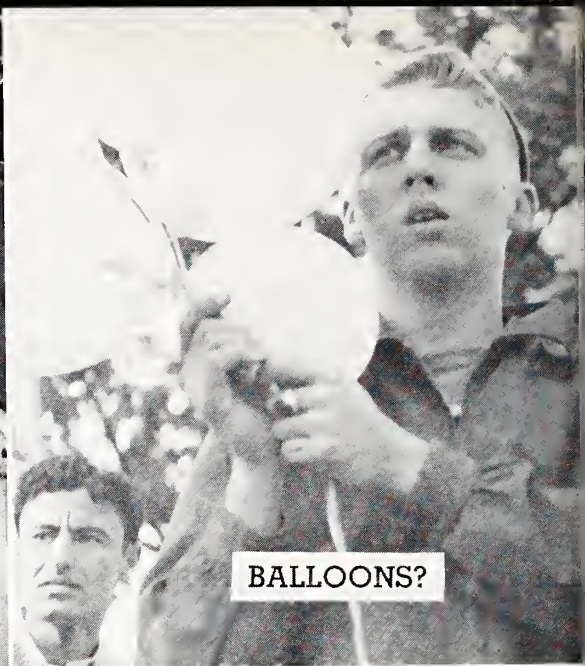
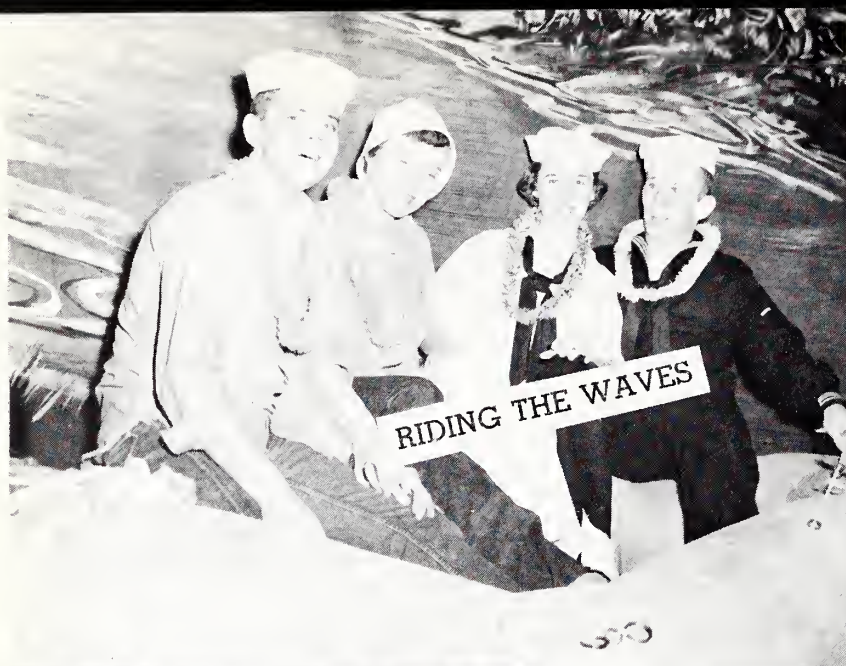
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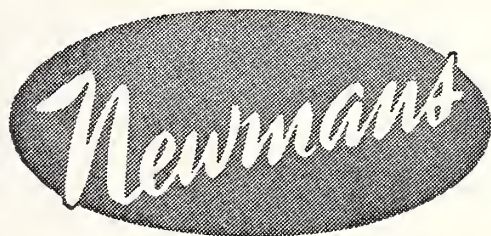
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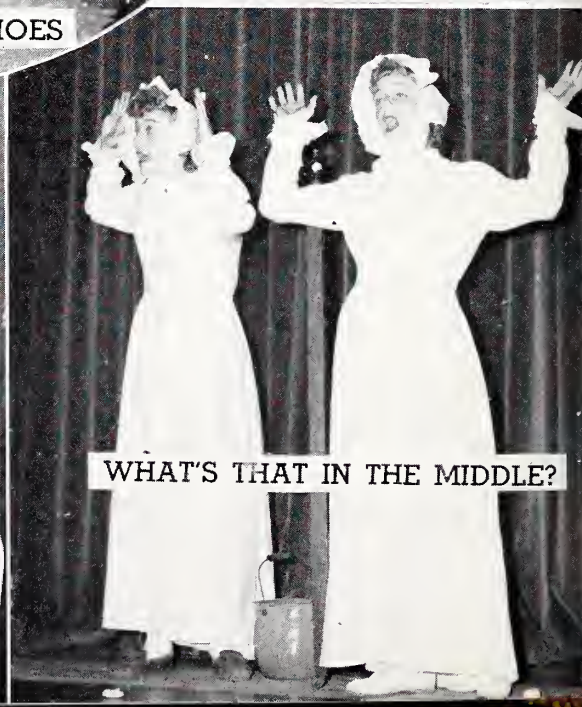
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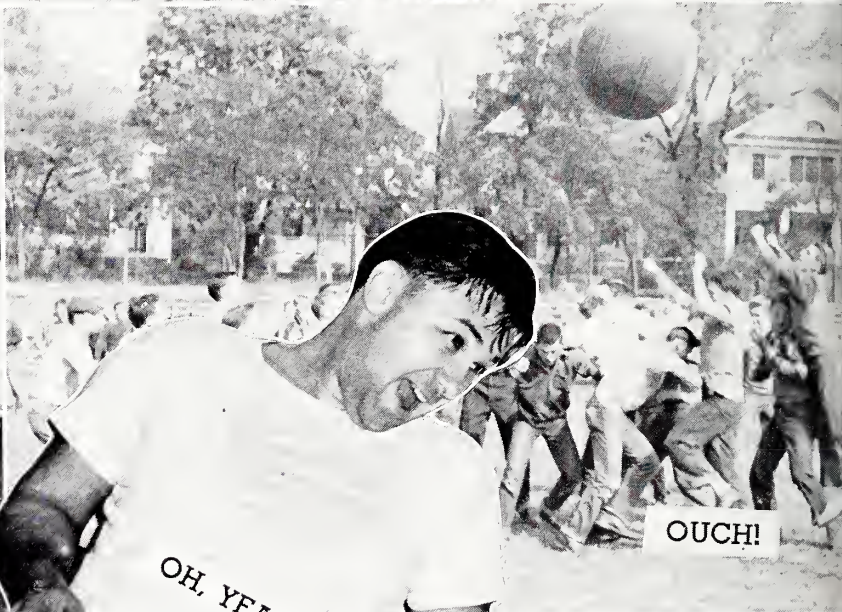
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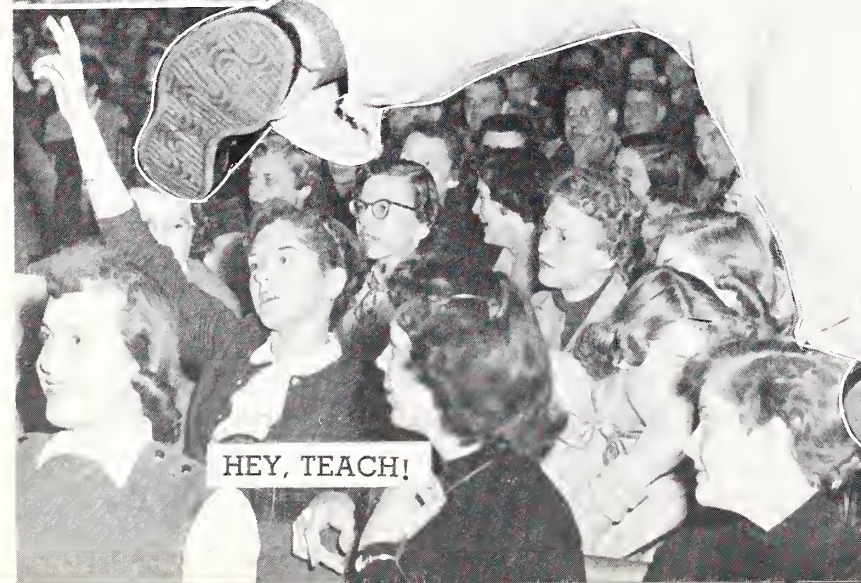
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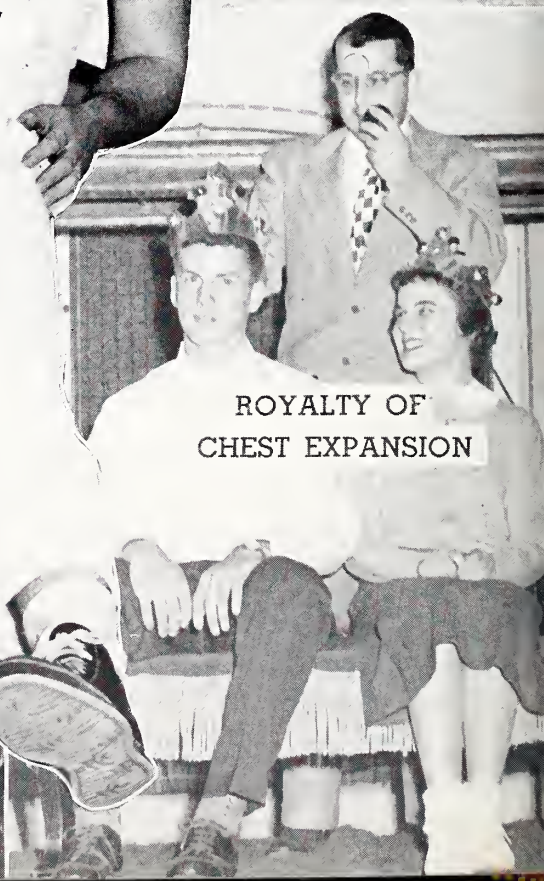
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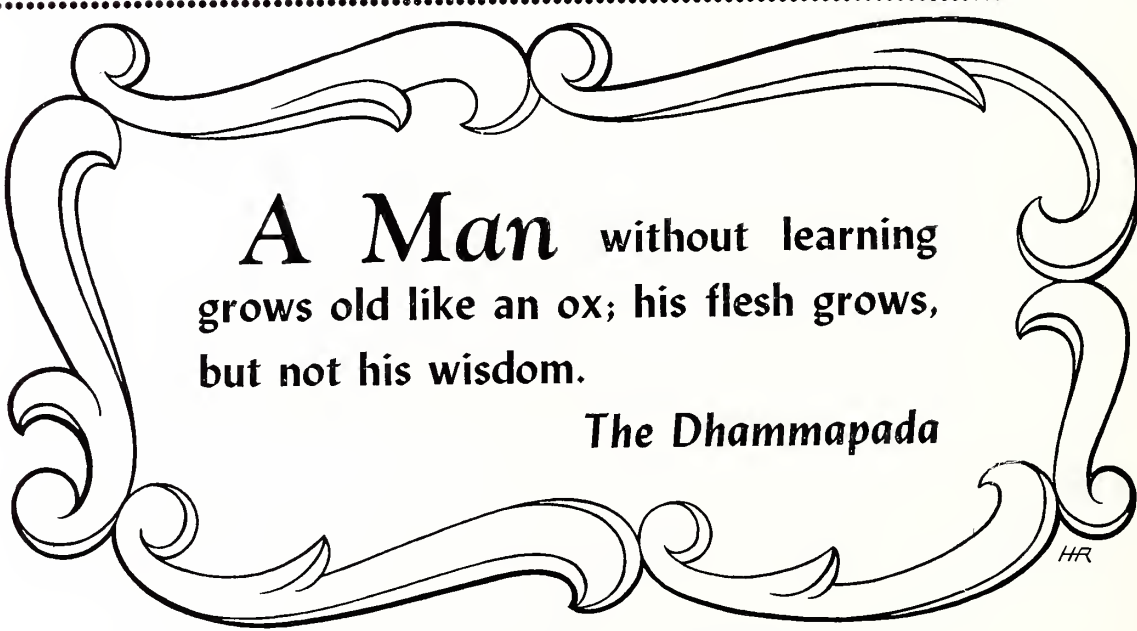
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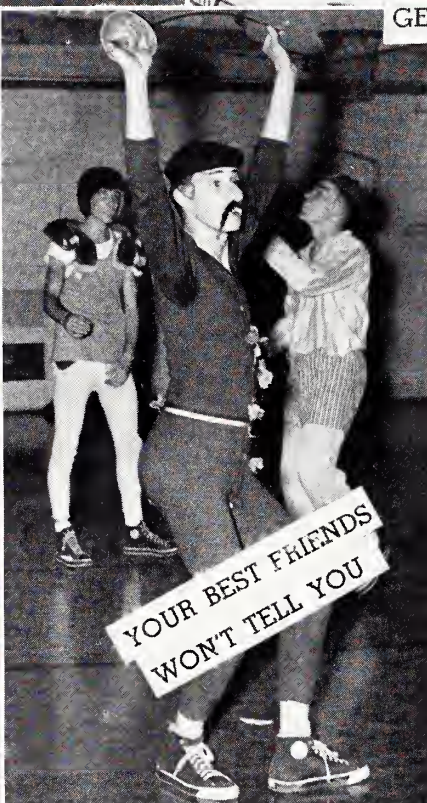
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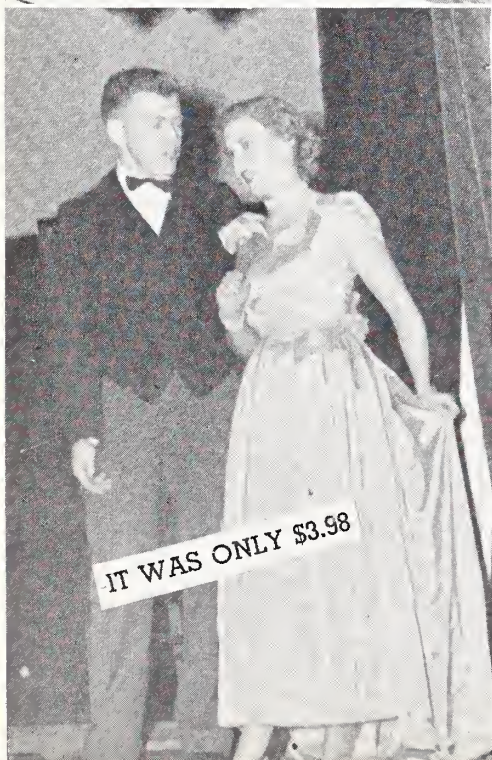
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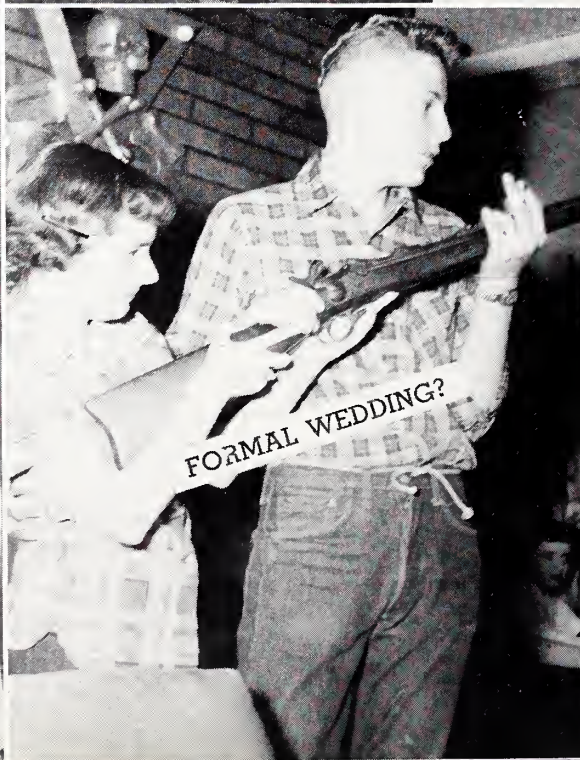
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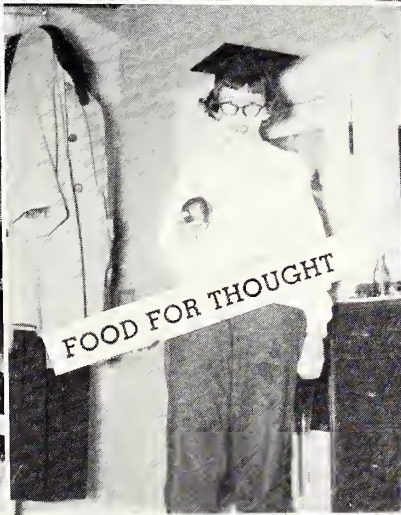
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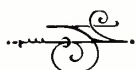
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CONNELLY, ROBERT: Band; Orchestra.

COOK, W. EUGENE: Delta Sigma Phi; Track; Baseball; Basketball; Intramurals.

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CRUISE, RICHARD: Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Intramurals; Band; University Chorus; Orchestra; Brass Ensemble Choir.

CUSTIN, CLIFFORD: M.I.A.; Young Republicans; Newman Club; Intramurals.

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GALEN, GLORIA: F.T.A.; German Club; Church Choir.

GEISLER, TRUDY: Sigma Alpha Iota, Secretary of Pledge Class, Music Director; Church Choir; M.I.A.; University Chorus; Resident Women's Association Council; Student Council; A Cappella Choir; Pi Mu Theta.

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GLOGAU, DOLORES: Zeta Tau Alpha, Social Chairman; Young Democrats; Homecoming Committee; Conant Society; W.A.A.; M.R.A.; Spanish Club; W.S.S.F. Carnival Committee; International Work Camp Committee; Tau Chi Pi; Student Council, Program Committee.

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HENDERSON, CARROL: Phi Mu Alpha; Band.

HENRY, NANCY: Delta Delta Delta, Treasurer, Historian, Rush Chairman; Panhellenic Council; Student Council, Vice-President; Homecoming Committee, Chairman, Coronation Committee, Coffee Hour Committee; Home Economics Club; Tau Chi Pi; W.A.A.; W.S.S.F. Solicitations Committee; Conant Society; Pi Mu Theta; Phi Kappa Phi; Millidek.

HEYDUCK, BILL: M.I.A., President; Variety Show; Art Club; Intramurals; M.R.A.; Student Council; Student Affairs Committee; Co-Chairman Decaturian Committee.

HILL, BETTE: W.A.A.; Band.

HOPPERT, EDWIN: Alpha Sigma Phi; Football; Alpha Phi Omega.

HOUGHTON, KATHLEEN: Zeta Tau Alpha; French Club; M.R.A.; Art Club; Tau Chi Pi.

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LEVERENZ, CHARLES: Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Intramurals.

LOGAN, MARY LOU: Sigma Alpha Iota; Choir; Orchestra; Opera

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LYTLE, WILLIAM: Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Intramurals; Millidek Sports Editor.

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SHEPHERD, JACK: Sigma Alpha Epsilon, President; Football; Track; M Club, Vice-President; Spanish Club; Intramurals; Honor Roll; Inter-Fraternity Council; Decaturian, Business Manager.

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